


RECORD OF THE
BOARD OF ALDERMEN

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Monday February 3rd 1823.

Present The Mayor. Aldermen Lovering,
Billings. Kipello and Hall

Auctioneer John M. Marston was licensed as an Auction
eer.

City Clerk's City Clerk's account amounting to one hundred &
acct. eleven dollars, paper, and the amount ordered to
be paid into the Treasury.

Police Officer's Leald Hayward's account and receipt of the
acct. City Treasurer for articles sold at the new prison
amounting to \$308, 68. read and accepted.

ditto Police Officer's account of fines amounting to thirty
dollars, and the City Treasurer receipt therefor.

Warrant Warrant drawn upon the City Treasurer
for the accounts of the last month amounting
to \$4786. 77.

Appopors Upon application of the Appopars Voters, that
they be authorized to employ a Clerk for
the term of four weeks.

Health Comr. The Committee to whom was referred
the Communication from the Health Comr.
on

on the subject of digging up & removing dead
bodies interred in the South Pennel ground on
the site - Reported an order authorizing the
Board of Asatth Commissioners to offer a
reward upon conviction of any person or persons
who shall be found guilty of thus violating
the Sepulchres of the dead - which was
read and passed. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred with amendments.

Read & concurred

Forole

Petition of Isaac Forole Soldier, Officer
of the Columbian Artillery Company, praying
that a piece of land may be granted them
whereon to erect a gun house. Read &
committed to Alderman Hall with such
as the Common Council may join, to
consider and report. Sent down for con-
currence. Came up concurred & the
Common Council joined on its next Mep
Page Hanson.

Thursday February 6th 1823.

Present - The Mayor - Aldermen Lovering, Elliot, Hall,
Russell, Tilden and Jenkins.

County Tax

Voted, That Aldermen Russell & Jenkins, ^{Hall,} be a
Committee to consider whether it be necessary
to make application to the General Court for
leave to assess a county tax, and said Committee
to make an estimate and present it, if found
to be necessary.

New Gaols

The committee appointed to view the
new Gaols reported, that some suitable person
be employed ~~who~~ has to take care of ^{the}
buildings, and that his compensation be one
half of the former person viz^t four dollars
per week upon condition that he shall
sleep in the building.

Licence

Oliver Hatch Junr. was licensed as a
Vintner.

D. Snow

P. \$ 50^{cts}

February 10. 1823. Dr. Caleb A. Snow
filed his Certificate to practice Physic &
Surgery

Monday February 10th 1823.

Present. The whole board except the Mayor
Mr. Lovering was chosen chairman

Darling

Report of the Committee on the petition of
Benjamin Darling and others concerning Carts
Waggons &c. standing in Broad street, making a
market place of the same. Read and accepted
Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Side Walks

An order to prohibit obstructions on the
side walks was postponed a fortnight.

Licence

Application of Daniel Wingate to be licensed
as a Victualler in State street - D

Howard Gordon

The remonstrance of Howard Gordon & others
against persons being licensed as Victuallers
in State street & were severally read &
postponed for consideration to the next
meeting.

Thursday February 13th 1823.

Present - The whole board.

Schools

Voted, That Wednesday the 26th instant be appointed for the semi-annual visitation of the Schools, and that Alderman Livering & Billings be a Committee to provide a dinner, and that in addition to the School Committee, the Masters & Uskers, the City Treasurer and the Members of the Common Council be invited.

Bloppon street

Voted, That the Police Officer cause the fence across Bloppon street to be cut down and removed.

Market Gate
Square

Voted, That Mr. Leal Hayward, the Police Officer, he and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause each & every person to remove with his cart, sleigh or other vehicle from Work square, or from the square lying between Union street & the stalls to the northwest of the Market who shall stand therein contrary to the provisions of a bye law. Passed March 10. 1817.

Auctioneer

Joseph Riple was licensed as an Auctioneer

Licenses

Thomas Hixford and Daniel Wengate, were licensed as Victuallers.

Chimney Sweep

John E. Scarlet a colored man was approved as a Chimney sweep

Darling

Communication of Benjamin Darling in behalf stating that suitable place is now fitted with stalls prepared for a market at the south end of Purchase Street, as was contemplated in their petition heretofore presented - and praying that the Carts &c. may be ordered to be removed from Broad Street - Read and Committed to the Committee who had the same petition under consideration to consider and report - Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Clerk Municipal Court

Communication was received from Joseph H. Purin Esq. Clerk of the Municipal Court stating that his Office in the New Court House on Leverett Street is now complete - whereupon it was Voted, That he move his books & papers to said new Office

Among

22 Grand Jurors and thirty five brave Jurors
deacon for the Supreme Judicial Court in Mont
Neph.

Monday February 17th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Mr. Alderman
Billings.

City Court House

Voted, That the ~~new~~ new Court House,
on Leverett street, be called and known by the
name of the "City Court House".

Bell for new
Court House

Voted, That Mr. Alderman Loring be a
Committee to provide a Bell for the City Court
House, that he be authorized to take either of
the bells from the Old Court House, South Boston,
or either of the School Houses, that he shall
find most convenient.

City Meeting

Voted, That a warrant be issued for
a meeting of the Inhabitants of the City at
Faneuil Hall, on Monday the third day of
March next at 10 o'clock A. M. then & then
to give in their written votes for or against
the acceptance of an act entitled "an act in
addition to an act entitled an act for
establishing the City of Boston" passed by the
Legislature of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
passed the eleventh day of February A. 1823.
and that a copy of the act be attached to the
notification.

Ordered, That Aldermen Lovering & Head
with such as the Common Council may join,
be a committee to fix the salaries of the
Surveyors of Highways, ^{to report} sent down for concurrence.
Came up again & Mr. Winstanley, Home & Williams, all joined.
Voted, That D. L. Brown's leave for
exhibiting the painting called the "Dinner
Party" be extended three months longer
without paying any thing further therefor.

Ordered, That Aldermen Lovering & Head
with such as the Common Council may join,
be a committee to fix the salaries of the
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exhibiting the painting called the "Dinner
Party" be extended three months longer
without paying any thing further therefor.

The committee, appointed for that purpose reported, that they had engaged a man to take care of the City Court House, for four dollars per week.

Ordered, that the Mayor with such as the
Common Council may join, be a committee to carry
into effect the order of the City Council, passed the
tenth day of February instant, for the sale of the
undivided lands belonging to the City in the Mile
Road, according to the report of the Committee of the
City Council dated July 10. 1822. for the sum of
thirty cents per square foot, & to make & execute in
behalf of the City, all such deeds, conveyances and
agreements as may be legal & proper for conveying
the same to the purchasers; & to receive the purchase
money & pay over the same into the City Treasury
sent down for concurrence. Came up confirmed
& the Com: Council joined Messrs Brooks & Sullivan.

Health Laws

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs Sullivan, Holmes, Russell, Winslow & Dexter, together with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a committee to take into consideration forthwith, all existing laws & regulations passed or ordered, for the purpose of preserving the public health, with power to report any alterations or amendments by bill or otherwise. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred and the Mayor, Aldermen Read, Billings & Perkins are joined.

Simon Dyar

Petition of Simon Dyar, praying leave to erect a clock on the east end of ^{Old State House} ~~the State House~~ Read & committed to Aldermen Russell & Winslow with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined on its past Map? P. J. Shaw, Kendall & Barry.

Broad Street

Ordered, ~~That~~ That the Police Officer cause all ^{other sitting vehicles} Carts with meats and vegetables to be removed from Broad Street ~~from~~ after the first day of March next.

Faneuil Hall The Report of the Committee upon Faneuil
Market Hall, market was read & recommended.

Virtualler

Thomas Wright was licensed as a
Virtualler.

Auctioneer

Daniel Hersey was licensed as an
Auctioneer at No. 38 Brattle Street.

McPonger

Petition of Daniel McPonger, Votter, for
the use of Faneuil Hall, on the evening preceding
the first Monday of April next. Came up
for the Common Council when the prayer
of the petition was granted. For concurrence
Read & ordered to lie.

Boazer

Ordered, that the petition of John
Boazer Votter, for the use of Faneuil Hall
on the evening above mentioned, & the prayer
of the petition granted Jan'y. 20. 1823. be
sent to the Common Council for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Thursday February 20th 1823.

Present - Aldermen Lovering, Eliot, Hall,
Russell and Jenkins.

Voted, to adjourn to Monday next
half past 3 o'clock. Attest

C. M. Elsary, City Clerk.

Monday February 24th 1823. Present Aldermen
Loving, Fildes, Jenkins & Russell
There not being a sufficient number present
to form a quorum the meeting was
adjourned to Thursday next half past
3 o'clock P.M. Attest

C. M. Elsary, City Clerk.

Thursday February 27th 1823.

Present - Aldermen - Lovering, Head, Eliot,
Hall, Jenkins & Russell.

Willis

Application of Charles Willis, for a
Lamp in Iron Court street, committed to
Mr. Hall to examine & report.

Virtual

Michael Kerney was licensed as a Virtual

Land Done Street. Voted: That a warrant be drawn upon the City Treasurer, in favor of John G. Rogers, Esq. Adm^r. de bonis viri of the estate of Benjamin Hancock Esq. dec^d. for the amount of land purchased for the Done Street School. The amount to be determined by a committee consisting of the Mayor & Mr. Alderman Head.

School
South Boston
Report of the School Committee
Recommending the erection of a new School house at South Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Lovering and Perkins, with such as the common Council may join, to consider & report next dawn for concurrence. Came up concurred, and the Common Council joined on its part Mess^{rs}. Brimmer, Williams & Alger.

Board of
accounts

Mr. Josiah Quincy in behalf of the
Board of accounts, relative to alterations
in the Jailor's house road & committed to the
Committee who have the subject of furnishing
the Court House.

Tuesday March 4th 1823.

Present Aldermen Lovering, Head, Elliot, Hall,
Pembroke and Russell.

Mr. Lovering was chosen Chairman in
the absence of the Mayor.

Yps: Clerk of Market. Resol. That Mr. Holland be allowed fifty
Cents per day for assisting in the Market

Lamp Iron
Cost 82.

Resol. That Mr. Alderman Hall be
authorized to cause a Lamp to be erected
in Corn Court Street, if he shall find it
necessary.

Seals

Communication was received from David
Sears, Esq. relative to the City Market Seal
and committed to the Mayor.

Virtualles

Edmund A. Lucas was licensed as a
Virtualles.

Warrant drawn upon the City Treasury
amount of amounts allowed against the City
amounting to \$23, 492, 42.

Thursday March 6th 1823.

⁴⁰Present. Aldermen Lovering, Wist, Fals, & Little
and Jenkins.

Mr. Lovering was chosen Chairman in the absence of the Mayor.

Innocent

Six Juncos drawn for the District Comm.

Petition of David Miller, for leave to erect
a fish box near the Market of West
Foster ^{in Purchase Street} read. & committed to Alderman Overton
& Eldon, to consider & report.

Davis

Miss Davis was licensed to give a
concert of music at Faneuil Hall, this
evening without paying ~~any~~ ^{any} fee.

Redman

Petition of John Redman, to erect a
Fountain, over an house in Miltshire street
near F. committed to Aldermen Good, Russell
& Hall, to consider & report.

Lila Walker

An order to prohibit obstructions on the
Side Walks. Passed to be enrolled in concurrence
with the common Council as taken into a new
draft. Sent down for concurrence

Went down for concourse
Came up concurred.

Prayer

Com: of Conf.

X

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs. John Welles, Barry, Jackson, a committee to confer with such as the board of Aldermen may appoint on their part relative to the subject matter of difference between the two boards upon the several applications of John Prager & others, and Daniel Wehinger & others for the use of Faneuil Hall on the evening of April 6th. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred, and Aldermen Read, Fildes and Hall are appointed on the part of the board of Aldermen.

Primary
Schools

Order of the Common Council, committing the petition of the Committee on Primary Schools of Primary Schools to Messrs. John Welles & Amos, with such as the board of Aldermen might join, to consider & report. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred, and Alderman Jenkins is joined.

Monday March 10th 1823.

Present. The Mayor - Aldermen Lovering, Eliot, Hall
Tilden, Jenkins, Russell.

Lamp Friend
St.

Voted, That a ~~proper~~ Lamp iron Lamp
with a proper sweep across the entrance of
Harvey's Alley, in Friend Street, shall be lighted
at the ~~expense~~ of Harvey's alley expense of the
City, when in the opinion of Alderman Eliot,
a ~~proper~~^{such} Lamp shall be erected.

Goals House
House.
Leicester St.

The Committee to whom the ~~following~~ account
~~was~~ of the committee, appointed to erect the
Goals House on Leicester Street -

Reported, That the same is right, and
well vouched (there being only an error of
eight Cents in amount W^o 206 over charged,
The committee further reports that the Agents
be discharged from all responsibility for the
sum of \$44,560. & 4 Cents which it appears
by said account they have drawn from
the Treasury. Read & accepted

Episcopal Church Petition of the Committee of the Proprietors
of the Methodist Episcopal Church Congrega-
tional, praying that they may be permitted
to establish a cemetery under their Church
in Bromfield Lane - Read & committed to
Committee who had under consideration the
petition of St Paul's Church, to consider &
report. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Bradtstreet

Dudley Bradstreet who was licensed as an
Inholder at the Exchange Coffee House, having
removed to Washington Gardens prayed for a
license at the last place. Ordered, that he be
licensed as a Victualler at the latter place.

Victualler

Joseph Carr licensed as a Victualler -

Warrant

Warrant drawn upon the City Treasurer
for accounts against the County of Suffolk,
amounting to \$2684.49. -

Thursday March 13th 1823.

Present. The whole board except Alderman
Billings.

Faneuil Hall,

X
The committee appointed by the board of
Aldermen to confer with a committee of the
Common Council relative to the subject matter
of difference between the two boards re' con-
cerning the occupying of Faneuil Hall for
Caususes &c. Reported that said Committee
had agreed, and that it was the unani-
mous opinion of both boards the committee
of both boards, that the right of leasing
the same appertains to the board of
Aldermen. Which report was
accepted.

Read

X
Communication from David Sears
Esq. praying liberty to withdraw the
his communication made to this board
the 4th instant. Read and the prayer
thereof granted.

John Urskine Licensed as a Victualler.

Surveyors of Highways. Report of the Committee establishing the salaries of the ~~Low~~ Surveyors of Highways. Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred.

Oil. Voted, That the City Clerk advertise that proposals will be received until the 24th instant to supply the City with Oil viz^t: 3600 Gallons of Summer & 3000 Gallons of Winter to be delivered monthly to the Lamp lighters from 5 to 6 hundred gallons per month.

Deer Island. Whereas complaints have been made, that persons are in the habit of taking sand & ballast from Deer Island, in the Harbour of Boston. Voted, That the City Clerk advertise offering a reward of fifty dollars to any person or persons who shall furnish evidence sufficient to enable the Mayor & Aldermen to recover judgment against any person offending in this behalf.

3/4 Pounds drawn for the Bond of Common Pleas.

Loads Carts
&c.

Voted, That the City Clerk advertise that during thirty days next ending ^{the 20th inst.} 1809, any cart or wagon shall at any one time, carry over the streets of the City, of liquors or merchandise more than two hogheads; of green wood more than four feet; of dry pine or eastern wood more than six feet; of manure or any other article more than one ton.

Ship Market

Upon the application of Pearson & Son and others who occupy the Ship Market then in Purchase Street. Voted, That, ^{from Sept. 25th inst.} no person shall be allowed to stand in Broad Street, Purchase Street or either of the streets branching ^{Broad St} ~~from~~ ^{from} there, with their wagons, carts, sleds or horses, having meat, vegetables, or other articles of provision for sale; nor shall any person be allowed to place any stall, bench or block in said streets or exhibit any such provisions for sale.

Streets

And it is hereby ordered ^{by virtue} ~~in pursuance~~ of an act of the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, passed on June 19. 1809 entitled "An act in addition to the several acts now in force to regulate the paving of streets in the town of Boston, for removing obstructions in the same" that if any person shall

offender against either said order, he shall
forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars upon
conviction of ~~being~~ such offender.

Monday March 17th 1823.

Present - The whole board

Lewis
Engine Co^s

Petition of Asa Lewis in behalf of the
Several Engine Companies, praying relief
Read & committed to the Mayor, with such
as the Common Council may join, to consider &
report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up
concurrent, and the Common Council joined
on its part Messrs Amory & Hibbins. —

School House
South Boston

Report of the Committee to whom was
referred the committee of the School Committee
recommending the building ~~the~~ of a new
School house ^{at South Boston} Reported that a new School
house be built at South Boston & appropriating
\$6000 therefor. Read & accepted thereupon
Ordered, that Alderman Liveries & Jenkins with such as
the Common Council sent down for concurrence
may join, be a committee to carry this report
into effect. — Came up concurrent & the
Common Council joined on
its part Messrs Amory & Hibbins
Williams & Alger

Primary Schools

Report of the Committee of primary schools
authorizing the School Committee to appoint such
additional number of Superintendents for the
primary

Primary Schools as they may deem proper. Read
& accepted. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Boardman

Petition of Darius Boardman & others of
Ward No 3, praying that a place for ward
meetings may be erected in said ward.
Read & committed to the Committee who have
under consideration the petition of the Columbian
Artillery, to consider & report.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Lock

Auctioneers

Bonds

Ephraim Lock's application to have his
the Revocatory of his bond ^{reinstated} to be given to the
State Treasurer ^{reinstated} to exercise the
business of an Auctioneer. Read and
committed to Aldermen Lovering, Head &
Billings, to consider and report.

Lamb

Inquisition was had upon Joseph Lamb
by order of the Judge of Probate, and it was
found he was non compos mentis, and return
made accordingly.

Paddocks
Mall

Voted, That the Surveyors of the High
ways be requested to cause the fence to be
removed from the front of Paddocks Mall
and that the said Mall be paved
with flat stones or bricks. —

Ward No 5

Voted, That the meetings of Ward No.
5 be held in the City Court House on
Leicester street.

Ward No 3

Voted, That ~~Dr~~ Alderman Elton
be a committee to consider and report a
plan for the ward meetings of No. 3.

Ward No 12.

Voted, That Alderman Lovins, be a
Committee to consider & report a plan for
the Ward meetings of No. 12.

Sawin & Dyer

Report of the committee on the
Petition of Sawin & Dyer, that ^{they have liberty to} a Clerk
on the Easterly end of the Old State House
provided the Grand Lodge shall consent
to the same. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Come up concurred

Oliver

The Committee upon the application of Henry J. Oliver who is about erecting buildings on Foster Street who were appointed to fix the elevation of a house about to be erected by said Oliver, at the corner of Foster Street and Foster alley, have directed that the underside of the sill may be twelve inches above the surface of the ground on said Foster Alley. Read & accepted.

City Court
Horne

Report of the Committee relating to the "City Court House" (in Leverett Street) that said Court House ~~is~~ is now ready for occupancy. Read and accepted. —

Thursday March 20th 1823.

Present. The Mayor - Alderman Lovering, Eliot,
Billings, Hall, Tilden and Russell.

Sears

A letter was received from David Sears, Esq.
requesting leave to withdraw his first letter the
Board to reinvest him with the Corporate property
of Museum Hall Corporation. Read & committed
to the Mayor, to consider and report. -

Clerk of Market

Resolved. That Alderman Hall, be a committee
to examine the affairs of the markets and the
records of the market & the markets.

Deer Island

Ordered. That the committee on the
buildings to also live on the Deer Island
for the ensuing year.

And done for convenience
came up concerned

Coye

Petition of Avery Coye requesting leave
to stand for Corp. Read June 1st 1823
W. 1 South side of Pennell
Road, & thereupon Ordered; That the
same be to withdraw his petition.

Grand Lodge Petition of the Grand Lodge to have
the amount of taxes on their rooms in the
Old State ^{house} allowed. Resolved & Charge
ordered that the same be granted amount-
ing to \$18.25.

Badlam

The committee to whom was referred
the petition of John Badlam Master of the
County of Clark Co. to have the rent for a
room in the Old Court House relinquished.
Reported that said rent be relinquished.
Read & accepted.

Trunks &

In order to amend an order to regulate
the stands, benches, Carts, Stalls & other con-
veniences for the purposes - Passed.

Redman

The committee appointed on the petition
of John Redman praying leave to erect a stake
oven in Wiltshire shad, reported, that said
~~John~~ Redman have permission to erect said oven,
but they are aware that the opinion of a majority
of the board, is not sufficient for said Redman's
purpose, & accordingly to the laws passed in the
year 1862. Read & not accepted.

Mepenger.

Petition of Daniel Mepenger & others a
Committee in behalf of the Federal Republican
electors, for the use of Faneuil Hall on the evening
of Thursday the 3^d of April next.
Read & the prayer thereof granted.

Side walks

An order to prohibit obstructions on the
side walks, passed to be enrolled in con-
currence with the Common Council.

34 Jurors drawn for the Municipal
Court.

Sale of Lands

Order of the common Council appointing
Messrs Jackson, Brooks & Barry with such as the
Board of Aldermen might join, a committee to en-
sider of the recommendation of the Committee of
Finance respecting the disposition of such monies as
may be received for sales of land, or any real-
estate belonging to the City, & that a Committee
report in what manner any monies so received
shall be disposed of, including in their report the
disposition of the money to be received for the sale
of land on the Mill Pond lately made. Come up
for concurrence. Read & concurred in the Mayor
& Aldermen Read are joined.

Monday March 24th 1823.

Present. The whole board except Alderman Russell.

Warrants for Ward Meetings. Voted, That warrants be issued for the several Ward meetings, to be held on the first Monday of April next.

Poll closed. Voted, That there be inserted in the several warrants, that the poll be closed at 3 O'Clock.

Auctioneers Bonds. The committee on Auctioneers Bonds have reported, that the bonds be arranged into three classes - the first two thousand dollars - the second one thousand, and the third five hundred. Which report was read & accepted.

Loving's proposal for oil. Voted, to accept the proposal of William Loving, Junr. to supply the City with oil the ensuing year.

Hall. Application of Jacob Hall to have part of Prime Street set off as a public building in said street. Read & referred to the Police Officer.

Copeland. Application of John Copeland to have the City's Slip at the end of Foster Street read & committed to Alderman Loving & Hall, to consider & report.

D. Gov. Phillips's
Land

Communication of the Surveyor of Highways,
relative to the line of D. Gov. Phillips on Winter
Street - Read & committed to Aldermen Perkins &
Billings.

Paving &
3

Communication of the Surveyor of Highways
respecting advertising for proposals for paving,
carrying gravel, for gravel & for paving stones.
Read & ordered, that the surveyor be requested
to give a statement of the difference of contracting
now and the first of May.

Ropewalks

The Committee appointed, to agree
with the Proprietors of the Ropewalks, relative
to removing the same, also to agree with the
Proprietors of the Boston Roxbury Mill Corp.
relative to the boundaries of their land in the
empty basin - Reported a statement of each
that several propositions made by the Proprietors
of the Ropewalks, all which the Committee
rejected - and reported that a committee be ap-
pointed to agree with the Proprietors of the
Boston Roxbury Mill Corporation. Read and
accepted. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Phillips

Remonstrance of William Phillips Votter,
against the sale of the land at the bottom of
the Common on which the repwalkers stand.
Read & committed to the Mayor with such
as the Common Council may join, to consider
and report. Sent down for concurrence

Sears

The Mayor to whom the Communication
from David Sears, Esq. was committed reported the
following order viz:

~~Ordered~~ That the Mayor & Aldermen reviewing
the course taken by David Sears, Esq. in presenting to
them in trust the thirds of the shares of Museum
Hall Corporation, & afterwards purchasing the remain-
ing third part of that property & presenting it upon
the same conditions, entertain a very respectful
sense of his liberal intention & views, as the
Common Council have expressed an opinion that
this property cannot be appropriated to the benefit
of the City, & Mr. Sears having requested with
an intention to relieve the City Government from
any embarrassment, that the property may be
reinvested in him, the said Mayor & Aldermen
highly approving the delicacy of Mr. Sears, will
execute a deed of release of all their right
title to said Museum Hall & have & to hold
the same to him his heirs & assigns forever -
Read & accepted -

Thursday March 27th 1823.

Present The whole board, except Aldermen
Tilden & Russell.

Apepors

Order of the Common Council appointing
Messrs Russell, Sullivan & Drake, with out a
the board of Aldermen might join, be a com-
mittee to consider, Report upon the expediency
of appointing a time for the choosing of
Apepors & Assistant Apepors, for the present
year. Resolved for concurrence.
Read & concurred The Mayor & Aldermen
Russell are joined.

Sars

Resolved, That the Mayor & Aldermen
execute a release to David Sars, Secy of the
Stock in Museum Hill Corporation which was
conveyed to them in trust, by said Sars in
January last.

Side walks

The enrolled order relative to
elections on the side walks was
committed to the Mayor.

Voters

Resolved, That the City Clerk ad-
vertise in all the newspapers, that a list
of voters in the several wards in the

City are now prepared and at the Appear-
ance Aldermen Hall, & that all legal
voters whose names have been omitted may
have them inserted on the list by applying to
the Mayor & Aldermen any time before the
time of Election.

Eaton

Voted, That the City Clerk, wth Robert
Eaton, Innholder, Washington Hotel, Washington sh^d,
to appear before this board on Monday next, to
show cause, why his license should not be
revoked, for permitting George Leliff, to exhibit
his exhilarating Gas at said place contrary to
the prohibition of this board.

Deer Island, Ordered, ~~Moved~~, That the Committee on public
buildings be authorized to carry the vote of the
City Council into effect, appropriating the sum
of two thousand dollars, for the repairs of the
buildings on Deer Island, and that they be
authorized to settle with William Tewkesbury
the former tenant. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Winter street

The committee appointed, as the representation of the Surveyors of Highways relating to the line of Winter street, reported, that they found a corner of one of the buildings about to be erected on the land of Jos. Hona. Wm. Phillips, according to the intended thickening of the Wall, would encroach upon said street about four inches. The Committee have directed, that the same be made to conform to the line of the street. I doubt not their direction will be complied with.

Which report is read & accepted.

Schaffer,

no claim
granted

Upon the application of John F. Schaffer Agent in behalf of the Proprietors of the Amphitheatre in Washington Garden for a license for one year - from the first day of May next for the purpose of exhibiting Horsemanship, Theatrical entertainments &c connected therewith. Thereupon ordered that a license be granted thereof for six months from said first day of May, paying thereof two hundred dollars. -

Auctioneers

Stephen Gibson was licensed as an Auctioneer
115 Cornhill Court.

Samuel Whitwell, Junr. George Bond (Aug. 18)
(Favor 1) Bond - General sum \$6000 - bondsmen
William Hargis & Charles Parker for the
purpose of exercising the business of Auctioneers
~~State~~ & approved & transmitted to the State
Treasurer

Jacob Stabody Auctioneer's bond approved

Monday March 31st 1823.

Present - The Mayor Aldermen Lovings, Fildes
Hall & Inghis.

Dennie.

Petition of James Dennie, Dep. Sheriff praying
for the refusal of an Office in the Old
Court House. Read & committed to Alderman
Loving with such as the Common Council
may join, to consider & report. Sent down
for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the
Common Council joined on its part Messrs
Motley & Mayor.

House of
Industry₃

Ordered, that the Mayor with such
as the Common Council may join, be a
Committee to take into consideration the
law concerning the House of Industry & to
report on the mode for carrying the same
into effect. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred, and the Common Council
joined on its part Messrs Sullivan & Winslow.

Cellar under
School House

Ordered, that the committee appointed to
build the new School House on Middle Street, be
authorized to advertise & let the Cellar under
said School House. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Sawin &
Dyar

Petition of Sawin & Dyar - Clock makers
praying to have the care & management of
the City Clock Road committed to
Alderman Lovering to consider & report.

Accounts

Ordered, that Alderman Lovering be a
Committee to examine the several accounts against
the City & that the City Clock be authorized
to draw warrant for the payment of the
same upon the City Treasury.

Fiduciaries

Lewis Farnham, Erasmus Farnham &
Thomas Parker were licensed as Fiduciaries

Auctioneers

George G. Chauncey - Samuel Blake
Joseph L. Cunningham - Erno Cobb -
Ferdinand C. White, Phineas Cook -
John Fairfield, George L. Deblois
Auctioneers board. approved.

Friday April 4th 1823.

Present. The Mayor. Aldermen. Evening.
Ellis, Hall, Jenkins.

Meetings of
Wards
City Officer

Voted. That the City Clerk be
authorized to issue warrants for calling
the meetings of the several wards, on the
second Monday of April, instant, at 10
o'clock A.M. for the election of City
Officers &c. as required by the City
Charter, at the several places as at
which the last election was held.

Auctioneers

James Bouquins - Samuel F. Coolidge -
Francis Wilby - Henry White - Frank
Stratton - Daniel Dorell - bonds approved
Transmitted to the State Treasurer

Monday April 7th 1823.

The Mayor - Aldermen - Loving, Head: Billings,
Inkins, Hall.

Vitruallers

George O. Ingersoll, John Foster and Abijah
R. Newkirk were licenced as Vitruallers.

~~That~~ That an Order be given to the
Mayor to make and sign a deed
said.

Low

Inquisition was held upon William Low, of
Boston mariner, at the request of Samuel Low
his brother, by virtue of a requisition from the
Judge of Probate for the County of Suffolk,
and said William was found to be non
Compos mentis.

Tuesday April 8th 1823.

Present. The whole board

Wm. L. Gov^r

The several returns from the several Towns,
for Governor, Lieutenant Governor & Senators were
received and examined, and the returns found
correct and allowed - as particularly exhibited and
recorded in the records kept for that purpose
and the several returns were signed by
the Mayor and Aldermen and attested by
the City Clerk and sealed up and
directed and delivered to the Secretary of the
Commonwealth.

Clerk of Town
Hall.

(Market)

Voted, That Leuel Haywood be au-
thorized to execute all the duties of the
Clerk of Town Hall Market until the
further orders of this board

Wells & Thaxter.

Warrant issued
\$1000.

Voted, That a warrant be drawn upon
the City Treasurer, in favor of Wells and
Thaxter, for one thousand, dollars, on account
of building the School Room on Middle
street.

Ward
Meetings

Voted, That it be recommended to the
electors of the several wards to plan all
the Officers to be chosen on Monday next
on one ~~list~~ ticket.

Phillips

Rayweighers

The account of Samuel Phillips, Rayweigher
to April 1st 1823, was received examined and
allowed, upon which there appears a balance of
\$102. 13, which he is ordered to pay into the
City Treasury -

Auctioneers

The following Auctioneers bonds approved
viz: Eliza Parks - Luther Parks - Thomas
St. James & Wm. D. Stone -

Thursday April 10th 1823.
Present. The Mayor. Aldermen & Overseers
Billings. Hale & Jenkins.

Prabody. Inquisition on Sally Prabody, who was found
non compos mentis, and is certified by the
Mayor & Aldermen - on the representation of
Lawson Caryle, upon the requisition of the
Judge of Probate for the County of Suffolk.

Angus Lamb. Upon the Petition of Nathaniel W. Angus &
Elizabeth Lamb, Executrix of the estate of James Lamb
Prayer Proprietors of a common sewer, in Bullfinch
Street praying that, all persons who enter their
sewer drains therein may be apportioned their proportionable
part. Orders, that said Petitioners notify all
persons interested to appear before this board on
Monday next, at 4 o'clock P.M. then & then
to show cause, if any they have why the
same should not be apportioned upon them accord-
ingly.

Rupell. Petition of Benjamin Rupell, for the
use of Samuel Hall on Sunday next for the
purpose of holding a Census. Read & the
Prayer thereof granted.

Copeland

The Committee appointed on the Petition
of John Copeland, praying to occupy the
Wharfe leading to the Slip in Foster
leading from Lynns Street to the water.
Reported, that the prayer of said Petitioner
ought not to be granted. Read & accepted.

Roxbury Canal

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized
to execute & deliver a quit claim deed to
the Proprietors of the Roxbury Canal in the
name of the City to carry into effect the
award of Arbitrators mutually chosen by the
parties.

Put down for concurrence
Carried up concurred

Monday April 11th 1823.

Present. The Mayor. Aldermen. Levering. Billings.
Sentinor, Russell, Stall.

Apepos

The Committee appointed to consider &
report upon the expediency of appointing a
time for the choosing of Apepos Assistant
Apepos for the present year made a report
which was read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Shepard

Yester Shepard's license as a ~~Wholesale~~
~~Wholesale~~ at in Avenue Dock sq. to Elm St. was
revoked for entertaining Citizens on Sundays & making
a noise in the House.

Savin Dyar

Proposal of Savin & Dyar to take
charge of Clock for \$150 ^{& annum} was
accepted.

Engines

Report of the Committee on the
Petition of the Masters of Engines making an
allowance to the several Engine Companies -
accepted.

Auctioneers

Joseph Ripley & Henry P. Andrews
Auctioneers bonds approved.

Sturgis

The several persons notified on the petition of
Nathl. R. Sturgis, to be allowed until next
Monday to make objections.

Health laws

Report of the Committee upon the subject
of the Health laws - ^{Read & agreed to be} referred the same to the
next Town body Council.

Put down for concurrence -
Came up concurred.

Wednesday April 16. 1823.

Present The Mayor Aldermen Loring
Hear, Billings, Jenkins & Russell

Mayor &
Aldermen

The board proceeded to examine the
Return from the several wards of the votes
given in on the fourteenth instant for Mayor
of the City of Boston, when it appeared that
the whole number of votes was 4766
necessary to a choice 2384

Hon. Josiah Quincy had 2505
and is declared to be elected Mayor of the
City of Boston, the year ensuing.

The board also proceeded to examine the
Return from the several wards, of the votes given in
for Aldermen, and found the whole number of
ballots to be 4782

Necessary to a choice 2392

Wep^r David W. Child has 2651

Asker Benjamin 4643

Emich Patterson 2361

Joseph W. Dorr 2154

Stephen Hooper 2132

Daniel Baxter 4241

Leah Eddy 4145

George Odierne 2669

and are declared to be elected Aldermen of the
City of Boston, the year ensuing.

Ordered, That the foregoing be published
in the several newspapers for the information
of the Inhabitants of the City, by the City
Clerk.

Primmer

Petition of Andrew Primmer for leave
to dig up the street in Liberty square, in order
to stop the tide water from flowing into his
Cellar - Read and the prayer thereof
granted.

Thursday April 17th 1823.

Present. The Mayor Aldermen Lovings, Elliot, Billings, Tilden and Jenkins. -

Rice

Petition of Henry Rice for liberty to build Arches under the side walk in front of the Store he is at present erecting. Read & committed to Alderman Jenkins, with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred. & the Common Council joined in its favor Messrs Davis & Thayer.

Dennie

The Committee appointed upon the petition of James Dennie reported, that the Office in the Old Court House, ~~has~~ ^{be} let to said tately or copied by the Clerk of the Municipal Court be let to said Dennie, at eighty dollars per annum payable quarterly, the City to be at no expense for repairs. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred with an Amendment. Read & concurred.

Virtuallies
Auctioneers

Cephas M. Gunn was licensed as a Virtuallies. The following Auctioneers bonds were approved Abraham John A. Bacon, Derashus Clap, "

Munson Petition of Israel Munson & others, praying that
an alarm Bell be placed on the School House
Fire hill, and that an engine may be
stationed there. Read & committed to
Alderman Tilden with order as the Common
Council may join to consider & report. Sent
down for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the
Common Council joined on its part Messrs. Bradley &
Lincoln.

Hall Petition of Paul Hall, for liberty to open
Trench in the Common sewer (sewer) street. Read
& ordered, that he notify all persons interested to
appear at the Aldermen's room on Thursday next
at 4 o'clock P.M. to show cause, if any they
have why the prayer of said Petition should
not be granted, and the expense assessed upon the proper

Dunivage Petition of Francis S. Dunivage, for permission
to exhibit from Paintings, being the same which
were used by Professor Everett, in the illustrations of
his Lecture. Read, and a license granted for
one month, without paying therefor.

Morse Petition of Aaron Morse & others, for liberty to
build Tombs under a meeting house about to
be erected for the Rev. & Mrs. Sabine. Read &
the further consideration thereof be referred to the
next City City Council.

Leolby

Voted, That One Hundred dollars be
granted to Johnson Leolby, for his services the
current year, for his services as Mesonger to
the City Council, in ~~his~~ addition to his
services as Mesonger to the board of Aldermen.

Monday April 21st 1823.

Present. The Mayor - Aldermen - Lovering, Read,
Ellis, Billings, Hall, Tilden, Jenkins & Russell.

Chas B. Coolidge, Auctioneer has approved

County Treas^r: The Committee ~~are~~ appointed to audit the
acct: accounts of W^m Mackay Treasurer of the County of
Suffolk, embracing all the transactions of the County
Treasury from the 15th of June to the 11th of July 1822
has been carefully examined & compared with the
vouchers, the same has been found to be correct,
well vouched & right cast, & that the balance due
the County of Suffolk is \$ 1296. ²³/₁₀₀.

Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred.

Coolidge? Petition of Cornelius Coolidge to widen Union
Street. Read & committed to the Surveyors of High
ways to report the amount of land and the
amount the City ought to pay for the same.

Dickson? Petition of James A. Dickson to widen Federal
Street. Was referred to the Surveyors of highways
to report as above. -

Prisoners to be removed Voted, and Ordered, that the Sheriff of the County of Suffolk, be authorized and directed to remove all prisoners from the Gaol near Court Street in Ward No. 7. to the Gaol near Leverett Street, in Ward No. 5, in the City of Boston, before the first day of May next.

Hall

Upon the Petition of Jacob Hall, for liberty to open & repair the common sewer in Cheap Street. Ordered, that said Hall ~~may~~ have an attested Copy of this order, to be published in the Daily Advertiser & Boston Patriot, seven days, at least, before Wednesday the thirtieth day of April, instant, at 4 o'clock P.M., that all persons ^{or who may receive benefit there} interested, may appear at the Aldermen's room at that time & show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

House of Industry

The Committee upon the House of Industry reported that the further consideration of the subject be referred to the next City Council. Read & accepted.

Read down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

The following subjects were referred to the next City Council, viz:

Methodist- The report upon the petition of the Committee of
Epis. Soc. the Methodist Episcopal Society, to erect tombs under
their Church.

Greenough- Petition of David Greenough & John P. Thomsitte
to erect widen South Allen street, and to alter the
name thereof to Oxford street.

Vitruallers- James H. Rivers, John Tobie, ~~William Ellis~~,
Ebenzer Chace and Ebenezer Davis, were licensed as
Vitruallers and William Ellis as retailer.

The following subjects were referred to the next City Council. viz:

Columbian Artillery- Report of the Committee on the petition of
the Columbian Artillery, praying for some relief
in erecting a Gun House.

How- Petition of Hall J. How, to purchase part of the
School-house lot.

Shepard- Petition of Green Shepard to have his license
restored. Read & referred.

Common Council- Mr. Russell came up with a message to
inform the board of Aldermen, that the Common
Council was about to adjourn without day, if
the board had no further business to lay before
them. Alderman How was charged with a

message to acquaint the common Council
that the board of Aldermen had no fur-
ther business to lay before them.

Thursday April 24th 1823.

Present. The Mayor - Aldermen Lovering,
Eliot, Billings, Hall, Tilden, Jenkins,

Mumson Report on the Petition of Israel Mumson &
others - referred to the next City Council.

Archibald William Brooks' Auctioneers bond ap-
proved.

Crombie Petition of Benjamin Crombie to purchase
a piece of land on Derne street. referred.

Dickson Report of the Surveyors of highways on the
Petition of James A. Dickson - proposing to give
a piece of land to widen Federal street to be
purchased by the City. - Referred.

Snow Gideon Snow declines accepting the Office
of Overseer of the Poor - proposal to call a
ward meeting - for a new choir, referred to the
next board of Aldermen.

Surveyors of Highways Report of the ~~Commons~~ Surveyors of Highways
on the Petition of Cornelius Coolidge, to widen Union
street - Referred to the next City Council.

Virtualler John Murray licensed as a Virtualler.

Shimmin William Shimmin Esq. delivered a deed of a piece of
near Bowdoin square - ordered that \$300 be made
up on the next draft.

Learn

Samuel G. W. Carr's application to be
licensed as a Virtuallu referred to the
next board of Aldermen.

Monday April 28th 1823.

Present - The Mayor Aldermen Lovering, Abad,
Eliot, Billings, Jenkins & Russell.

Eliot

Petition of Ephraim Eliot, in behalf of himself
John Riddan, Thomas Howe, Joseph Williston, Charles
Holmes, for liberty to open the street & build a
new common sewer, in the middle of Middle street
to the Mill brook Read and the prayer
thereof granted.

Prince

Warrant ^{in favor of Rev. Dr. John Prince} issued by the City Treasurer, for \$1411. 57, being the
amount of his bills for Philosophical apparatus
imported by him, for the use of the Schools
in the City.

Jurors

Four Grand & four Petit Jurors drawn for
the Circuit Court of the United States.

Brimmer

Petition of Andrew Brimmer, requesting that
he may have notice if any person should ap-
ply to open the street near the reservoir in
Liberty square. Read & referred to the next
Board of Aldermen.

Wigher of
Vepels

Calcl Loring was nominated & appointed
weigher of vepels. employed in transporting stone, sand &
gravel.

Line between
Boston Roxbury

Report of the Committee appointed to confer with the Selectmen of Roxbury, respecting the boundary line, and to fix the same between that town & Boston, which passes through the empty basin (so called) of the Boston & Roxbury Mill Corporation. Establishing such boundary & fixing the monument. Read and accepted. —

Deer Island

The committee on public buildings having been directed to advertise & let Deer Island, to rebuild the dwelling house thereon, also to settle with the present occupants. Reported, that they found it impracticable at present to make any settlement with Mr. Brooksby, the present occupant. They therefore propose that the subject be referred to the next City Council. Read & accepted.

Faneuil Hall

Voted, That Faneuil Hall be fitted up for accommodation of the ^{members of the} City Council, ^{elect} at their inauguration on the first day of May next, in the same manner as the last year.

Adjourned to Wednesday next at half past 3 o'clock PM. — Attest.
E. H. Cleary, City Clerk

Wednesday April 30th 1823.

Present The Mayor Aldermen Lovering, Read,
Eliot, Hall,

Hayward. Voted, That fifty dollars be granted to
Leah Hayward, in full for his extra services
during the last year: —

Morgan Voted, That twenty dollars be granted to
James Morgan, in consequence of his late sick-
ness & extra expense. —

Walter Mattheusson & James Bullin were
licensed as Victuallers. —

Low. Return of an application of Jacob
Hall in behalf of John F. Low, to open a
drain or common sewer in Sheep street —
No objection being made — The prayer of the
Petition granted.

Accounts ag^t City. Warrant issued on the City Treasurer for
the amount of accounts allowed against the City
being \$4334. 88.

Accounts ag^t County. Warrant issued on the City Treasurer for
the amount of accounts allowed against the
County of Suffolk, being \$2579. 15. —

City Clerk's acc^t

The City Clerk's acc^t examined & allowed to the amount
\$759. 50 ordered to be paid into the City Treasury.

Ordered, That all matters & things
not acted upon be referred to the next
board of Aldermen.

The meeting was then ~~disposed~~ adjourned
without day. Attest

Wm McLeary, City Clerk.

City of Boston May 1st 1823.

This being the day appointed by the act establishing the City of Boston for the organization of the City Government the following Gentlemen together with the members of the Common Council appeared in Faneuil Hall and took their seats WIT:

Hon. Josiah Quincy Mayor

Aldermen

Daniel Wadsworth	Leah Eddy
Asher Benjamin	Stephen Cooper
David W. Child	George Odiorne
Joseph W. Dorr	Enoch Patterson

The meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. James Freeman D. D.

Mayor
sworn &

The Hon. John Phillips, a Justice of the Peace - throughout the Commonwealth administered the several oaths required by law to the Mayor.

Aldermen
sworn

The Mayor afterwards administered the like oaths to the Aldermen - and then to the

Common Council
Seven

members of the Common Council. He then addressed the members of the City Council. The Mayor then notified the members of the City Council to meet in their respective Chambers at 12 o'clock to proceed upon business. —

The members then separated. —

Aldermen's room

Present: The whole board. —

President Clerk
of
Common Council

S. Dexter came up with a message from the board of Aldermen Common Council to inform the board of Aldermen that they had elected Mr. Hon. John Wells, for their President, & Thomas Clarke Esq. for their Clerk. —

Convention to
elect
City Clerk

Alderman Hooper was charged with a message to the board of Common Council to propose a Convention forthwith of both boards for the purpose of electing a City Clerk.

Mr. Tappan came up with a message from the board of ^{Common Council} ~~Aldermen~~ that they concurred in the proposition to form a Convention of the two boards to meet forthwith in the Common

Council room for the purpose of electing a
City Clerk.

In Convention

City Clerk
Chosen

Agreeably to apignment the two branches of
the City Council met in Convention in Common
Council ^{room} for the purpose of electing a City Clerk.

Alderman Baxter, Messrs Russell & C.
Perkins were appointed a committee to receive
sort and count the votes for a City Clerk,
who reported that the whole number of votes
was fifty four: necessary to make a choice
twenty eight. Samuel F. McLeary had
fifty three votes, and was chosen.

Sworn

The oath of office was administered
to him by the Mayor.

The business of the Convention being ac-
complished the two boards separated.

Streets

The Mayor communicated the following
~~message~~ VVZ. "To the Aldermen and Common
Council of the City of Boston. Gentlemen:—
In obedience to the duties enjoined by the
Charter, on the Mayor, I recommend an early
attention to the state of the streets of the City;
I

that it should be immediately taken into consid-
eration, in what body the care of cleansing the
streets is, or ought to be invested, and what
powers & authorities are necessary to be granted,
for the purpose of making & keeping them
clean. Josiah Quincy.

Read & committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Baxter & Benjamin with such as
the Common Council may join, to consider & report.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred
& the Common Council joined on its part,
Messrs E. Williams, Silsby, Stodders, Bates &
Dexter.

Surveyors of
Highways.

Ordered, that the Mayor, Aldermen Eddy &
Hooker, with such as the Common Council may
join, be a Committee, to consider, in whom the
power and duty of Surveyors of Highways is invested
independent of the subject of cleaning the streets; &
what measures ^{are necessary} in relation to those powers & duty.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred,
and the Common Council joined on its
part, Messrs E. Williams, Swell, Howard and
Francis.

Hammond
Elm trees

Ordered, That Aldermen Dorr, be a committee to inquire into the contract made by a Mr. Hammond, or any one else, relative to Elm trees, and if any have failed, to cause him to be forthwith notified, to complete the same according to his contract.

House
of
Industry

The Mayor communicated the following Message No. 2 To the Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Boston. Gentlemen. In obedience to the duties enjoined by the Charter, I recommend that the subject of the House of Industry, at South Boston, should be taken into an early consideration, and whether any, & if any, what measures ought to be taken in relation to putting the same into an effectual operation.

Jonah Quincy

Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne, Child with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Same up concurred, and Messrs Davis, J. N. Williams, Baldwin, Jackson & Lincoln are joined.

Representatives

Mr. Russell came up with a message, from the Common Council proposing a Convention of

of the two branches of the City Council, on Monday next at half past 5 o'clock, for the purpose of determining the number of Representatives, that it will be expedient for the City to send to the General Court the present year.

Alderman Benjamin was charged with a message to inform the Common Council, that the board of Aldermen concur in their proposition to form a convention at the time and for the purpose above expressed.

Mayor's
Address

Order of the Common Council appointing Messrs. Coolidge, Amos, & Hildiman, with such as the board of Aldermen might join a committee to wait on the Hon. Josiah Quincy, & request of him a copy of the address this day delivered by him as Mayor, to the City Council, in order to have the same published & come up for concurrence. Read & concurred & Alderman Baxter is joined.

Adjourned to Monday next at 4 o'clock.
Attest, S. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Monday May 5th 1823.

Present. The whole board ^{and according to adjournment}

Orator of
4th July

Agreeably to adjournment the board proceeded to the
choice ^{by ballot} of an Orator to pronounce the Oration on the
anniversary of Independence, and the votes being
taken it appeared that Charles Pelham Curtis
Esq. was unanimously chosen and Aldermen
Hooper and Dove were appointed a committee
to acquaint him with the appointment.

Common
Councilman
qualified

John F. Boyd Esq. appeared accompanied by Dr.
Decker, and he was duly qualified as a Common
Councilman, for ward No 2. by taking the oaths
prescribed by the Constitution and Law before the
Mayor and board of Aldermen.

Cleaning the
Streets

The Committee of both boards appointed on
the subject of cleaning the streets, and who were
directed to take into consideration, in whom the
care of cleansing them was invested. Reported
that in the opinion of the committee the care of the
streets, & of cleaning the surface of the City is vested
by the Charter, in the Mayor & Aldermen. In this
opinion, docks, necessaries House dirt is not included,
but it is understood that there should be considered as
belonging to the body charged with the care of the health of
the City, until the further order of the City Council —
Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence —
Carried up concurred.

Surveyors
of
Highways

The committee of both boards appointed to take into consideration, in whom the powers & duties of Surveyors of highways are invested, & what measures ought to be taken in relation to those powers and duties - Reported. That the City Council be requested to call ~~on each~~ ^{upon} a meeting of the Inhabitants of the City, as possible to take their opinion on the question above mentioned, to be presented in the form of the following vote, for their acceptance & rejection.

Voted, That the City Council be requested to apply to the Legislature for an act authorizing them to appoint, if they see fit, the Mayor & Aldermen, Surveyors of highways; and string in the act "establishing the City of Boston" to the contrary notwithstanding. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred with an amendment.
Read and concurred.

In Convention

Representations

Expressly to assign a Convention was formed for the purpose of determining the number of Representations it may be entitled for the Corporation to send to the General Court, the ensuing year. The question being

being taken, it was determined that the number should be twenty-five.

The business of the Convention being accomplished, the two ~~houses~~^{branches} separated.

Ward
Meetings

Ordered, That warrants be issued for meetings of the Citizens of the several Wards, (to be held at the same places as the last meeting, excepted on the first Monday of April last,) on Monday the twelfth instant, at 12 O'clock M. the poll to be closed at 3 O'clock P.M. and that there be inserted in the warrants, that all such Ward Officers as may be wanted to fill vacancies be elected at the same time.

List of voters

Voted, That the City Treasurer be required to ^{correct} ~~submit~~ the lists of voters, on or before Wednesday next.

Shaw

Petition of Samuel Shaw in behalf of the heirs of Watson Freeman, relative to the lines of his estate read & committed to the Mayor to consider & report.

Perce

Joseph H. Perce, relative to fitting up offices in the City Court house &c. read & committed to Alderman Benjamin, to consider & report.

Meguhart
Licence issued
\$1 per
1 more
2.

Application of R. E. Richmond in behalf
of Joseph Meguhart a young lad for licence to
have a concert of vocal & instrumental music
Read and the Mayor thereof granted for
a concert at Pantheon Hall, upon payment
of one dollar each night.

Vase

Petition of Isaac Vase relative to a
drain in Orange street - Read & committed to
Aldermen Baxter & Child, to consider & report.

Surveyors of
Lumber &c.

Voted, That this board will on
Monday next, at half past 3 o'clock come
to the choir of Surveyors of Lumber, of wharf,
of hemp, inspection of lime, of hoops & staves & of
fish & all persons and that the body clerk
give notice in the two Daily papers that
all persons desirous of either of those ap-
pointments are notified that no application
will be attended to, unless in writing under
their own signatures. —

Rogers

Petition of Daniel D. Rogers relative
purchasing a piece of land belonging to the
City on Derne street - Read & committed to
Aldermen Child, Odiorne & Patterson to con-
sider and report

Shore Daniel Shore application to borrow money from the Franklin fund. Read & committed, to Aldermen Child & Baxter to consider & report.

Lincoln The Petition of Asman Lincoln, & others, relative to widening Lynde street, read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Benjamin & Odiorne, to consider & report.

Market Voted, That the subject of ~~road~~ considering a modification of the Market, be committed to the Mayor Aldermen Odiorne & Patterson to consider and report.

Dickson Application of James A. Dickson & Elizabeth Powell lessees of the Boston Theatre, to have the same licensed. Read & committed to the Mayor Aldermen Baxter and Hooper to consider and report.

Townsend Edition of Alexander Townsend relative to widening Hawkins street - Read and committed to Aldermen Odiorne and Patterson, to consider and report.

Brown Stephen Brown licensed as an Auctioneer - and this bond approved.

Gore -

Petition of Samuel Gore's petition
for leave to open a drain or common
sewer leading from Levent street through
Hanover street, & Elm street to the town
dock being and that the expense be
levied upon the several Proprietors who may
receive benefit from the same - Read and
thereupon Ordered, That the Petitioner notify
all persons interested, to appear at the
Aldermen's room, on Wednesday, the fourteenth
day of May instant, at 3 o'clock P.M.
to shew cause if any they have, why the
prayer of said petition should not be
granted.

Apepers L

appointing Apepers, Sapisland Apepers and
In order to provide for the asep-
ment and collection of taxes ^{to be en-}rolled
in concurrence with the Common
Council.

Streets

Resolved, That the outgo of contracting
for cleaning the streets be committed to the
whole board - Viz: Wards 1, 2 & 3 to Alder-
men Eddy & Patterson - 4, 8 & 9 to Aldermen
Child & Dorr - 5, 6 & 7 to Aldermen Corbin & Borggini
and 10, 11 & 12 to the Mayor
Aldermen - Baxter and Hooper -

Five viewers Nathaniel Bradlee ; John Howe, Junior
Nolan Harbison, Romanus Emerson and
Abel Hewins, were chosen five viewers.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred

Hogreaves William Andrews, John Kimball, Royal
Oliver George Calder Flynn were elected
Hogreaves, Hayward, & Field viewers. —

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Apay masters John Wells and Lewis S. Lauriat
were elected Apay masters. —

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

City meeting Ordered, that a meeting of the ~~citizens~~
Surveyors of Inhabitants of the City be called to meet in
highways Council Hall, on Thursday the fifteenth instant,
at two o'clock P. M. then & then to take
into consideration the following vote proposed by the
City Council for their acceptance or rejection viz
Voted, That the City Council be requested to
apply to the Legislature for an act authorizing
them to appoint if they see fit, the Mayor &
Aldermen Surveyors of highways; any thing in

The act establishing the City of Boston to
the contrary notwithstanding. — I warrant
to open accordingly.

Adjourned to Wednesday next 3 o'clock P.M.

Attest
E. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Wednesday May 7th 1823.
Present - The whole board except Alderman Rogers.

Neck lands

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs Jackson, Alderman, & Willet, with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a Committee to be called a Committee of Neck lands, whose duty it shall be to superintend these lands, to cause such improvements as they think necessary; to rent them & in case of application for the purchase of any part, to fix a price & report the same to the City Council for their approbation. Came up for concurrence. Read and concurred, and The Mayor & Alderman Baxter are joined.

Shepard.

Petition of Green Shepard to have his license as an Innholder restored. Read & committed to the Mayor, to consider & report.

Marsh.

Petition of Ephraim Marsh for a lamp in Beattle street read & committed to Alderman Baxter to consider & report.

Emery

Joseph D. Emery has liberty to remove a
Carpenter's Shop to Orange street, & occupy the
same.

Pierce

Petition of Joseph A. Pierce, Esq. relative
to a building on Lowell street, near the Jail
Office read & committed to the Mayor - Alder-
men Child & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Board of
Health

Representation of Board of Health con-
cerning Common Sewers read & committed to the
Mayor Aldermen Patterson & Odiorne, to consider
& report.

Dwight Hage

Petitions of William Dwight & Luke Hage
to be licensed as Victuallers, read & committed
to Alderman Child, to consider & report.

Marston

John M. Marston's bond as Auctioneer
approved.

Perkins &
Copeland
Constable

Petition of James Perkins & others, Com-
mittee relative to tents on the Common on
public days, and the Petition of Elisha
Copeland upon the same subject severally read
& referred to Alderman Eddy & Child. Dorr to
consider & report.

Jackson

Representation of Francis Jackson relative to
the City's land on the north read & committed
to the committee on north lands to consider &
report.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred

Prowse

The committee to whom was referred the ap-
plication of Daniel Prowse, provided the applicant obtain
as his bondsmen John Hancock Newman & Henry Adams
read & accepted.

Bradlee

Petition of Thomas & John Bradlee, others
relative to sweeping the streets in and near the
Market, read and committed to the committee
on the subject of the Market, to consider and
report.

Smith

Petition of Ebenezer Smith to purchase
land on the mill pond ~~land~~ read & committed
to the Mayor & Aldermen Patterson with such
as the Common Council may join, to consider
& report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up
concurrent, & the Common Council joined in its final
Vote: ~~Adams~~ ~~Walter~~ Dexter, Farnham, J. Perkins

Dorronsand

The Committee on the petition of Alexander
Dorronsand for an improvement in Hawkins street -
Reported that the subject be postponed indefinitely.
accepted & ordered accordingly.

Shepard

The Board considered the subject of restoring the license of Lynn Shepard, as an Imholder and voted that the prayer of said petition be not granted.

Curtis accepts

A letter was received from Charles P. Curtis, Esq. declaring his acceptance of the appointment to deliver the Oration on the fourth day of July next.

Side walks

An order to prohibit obstructions on the side walks read and committed to the Mayor and Alderman Odiorne, to consider & report.

Merrill

Ordered
Voted, That Daniel Merrill, keeper of the Court House, be required to attend at the Aldermen's room and Clerk's Office, when not employed in the business of the Courts, & the Offices connected therewith.

Penniman

Upon the petition of Elisha Penniman, for liberty to open & repair the drain or common sewer in Newbury street; & that the expense thereof be apportioned upon all persons who shall receive benefit from the same. Ordered, that the said Elisha Penniman, notify all persons interested to appear at the Aldermen's room on Monday the

nineteenth day of May instant, at 3 o'clock P.M.
by publishing this order in the Daily Advertiser
and Boston Patriot, seven days at least, before said
day, that all persons interested therein may then
& there appear & show cause, if any they have, why
the prayer of said Petition should not be
granted.

Clerk of
Market

~~Resolved~~ That Wednesday next, be assigned to
come to the choice of Clerk of the Market,

New England
Museum

John Dwight, President of the New England
Museum, to have a license for the New England
Museum and Gallery of Fine Arts, read and
committed to the Mayor, to consider and
report.

Adjourned to Monday next 3 o'clock P.

Attest

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Special Meeting. Friday May 9th 1823.

Present. The whole board except Alderman Dorr.

Home

Petition of E. G. Home & others for the use of Faneuil Hall, on the evening of Sunday next, for a caucus. Read the prayer thereof granted.

Gray

P²etition of John Gray, to use a brick building for a Livery stable - said building is one hundred twenty feet from ^{Hanover} ~~road~~ street - Read and the Prayer thereof, granted.

Marsh

The committee on the Petition of Ephraim Marsh for a lamp in ^{a street leading from Pleasant St} Carle street, Reported, that if the Petitioners will place a lamp in ^o street, that it is expedient for the City to take charge of & light the same. Read & accepted.

Mainwright

Petition of Jerry Mainwright & others praying that Brack. shut may be widened - Read and committed to the Mayor & Alderman Baxter to consider and report.

New England
Museum

The committee upon the Petition of the Proprietors of New England Museum (Gallery of the fine arts, for a license reported that license be granted. Read & was accepted upon paying thirty dollars for one year.

Peirce

The committee upon the Petition of Joseph St. Peirce, giving notice that a new building was erecting near the Court office, on Livewell street - Reported that it is in expedient to interfere. Read & accepted.

Board of
Accounts

Return Report of the Board of accounts read & committed to the Mayor Alderman Benjamin F. Hooper, to consider & report.

Side walks

The committee on the subject of prohibiting obstructions on the side walks, reported that the consideration be postponed.

Gage &
Hodman

Luke Gage, and Ellis Sedman were licensed as Victuallers.

Holmes

Voted, that the City Clerk, give notice in the newspapers, that lists of the voters in the several wards are posted up in the Aldermen's room, & all persons who are entitled to vote, and whose names may be omitted may

may apply at said room ^{tomorrow} ~~this day~~
and Monday and have them insured.

Voters

Resolved, That the board or some of
them will attend tomorrow and
Monday for the purpose of attending
to inserting the names of qualified
voters.

Adjourned to Monday next at three
o'clock. Attest,
S. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday May 12th 1823.

⁴²
Present - ^{3rd} the whole board, except Alderman Dove. ^{not according to adjournment}

Lynnan Petition of Theodore Lynnan, to open a drain
or common sewer in Chardon Street. Notice
ordered to ^{that} all persons ^{intended be notified} to appear on
Wednesday 22nd instant 3 o'clock PM by publishing
in the two Daily papers.

Washington
Garden Street Petition of the Proprietors of Washington Gardens
for a license, read & committed to the
Mayor, Aldermen Bayler & Hoopers to consider
& report.

Cleveland Petition of Aaron F. Cleveland to open & repair
the drain or common sewer leading from the
top of East Hill to Milk street through
River street. Ordered all persons ^{intended be notified} to appear on
Wednesday 22nd instant 3 o'clock PM by publishing in
the two Daily papers.

Newcomb Petition of Bryant Newcomb to open ~~drain~~ into
a common sewer in about near Broad street
street. That all persons to appear on Wednesday
the 22nd instant 3 o'clock PM by publishing in
the two Daily papers. R

Benjamin Winslow's Auctioneers bond approved

Cows

Ordered, That the Mayor & Alderman Eddy with such as the Common Council may join, be a committee to consider ^{report} whether any frohat restrictions are necessary relative to cows going upon the Common - Sent down for concurrence. Came up for concurrence & the Common Council joined on its part Messrs Jackson, Lincoln, Dyer, Lanson & Wheeler.

* Howard - chosen instead of Jackson

Bank of
N. S.

Resolution of the Directors of the Bank of the United States to purchase a part of the Old State House, and to report specially thereon, as also, on the expediency of selling the whole, or any part thereof. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined on its part Messrs Oliver, Amory, Adams & Kendall.

Surveyors of
~~Highways~~
Lumber &
boards

The following Officers were elected by the board, viz: Surveyors of boards & Lumber,
William Clouston
Thomas Christy
Noah Daggett
Samuel Ellison
William Green
Nathl. Glover
Moses Ayres Junr.
Thomas Barry
Nathaniel Bradley
Henry Blake
Eliaser Homer
John Howe, Junr.
Polun Hartshorn
Oliver Mills

~~Robert Westbrook~~
Perez Loring
Samuel Waldron

~~Thomas Brown~~
Person Cheney

Cullers of Dry Fish -

Benjamin Clark
Charles Cook
James Brown
William Spear
Benazer Perry

Nathaniel Howe
Benjamin Owen
John F. Hammit
Jacob Barlow

Cullers of Hoops & Staves

Henry Pinkitt
Nathaniel Howe
James Brown

Benjamin Owen
Benjamin Clark
Charles Cook

Inspectors of Lime

Michael Homer
Samuel Sprague

Francis Jones

Surveyors of Wheat

Thomas Howe

John Turkerman

Surveyors of Hemp

Samuel Cummings

John A. Shaw

sent down for concurrence
came up concurred.

Board keepers

City Crier

Thomas Copeland was nominated & ap-
pointed Board Keeper in Washington Street.
sent down for concurrence. came up concurred.
James Wilson, was nominated & appointed
City Crier.

City Treasurer

Resolved, That Aldermen Odiorne and Eddy with such as the Common Council may join, be a committee to examine & audit the City Treasurer's accounts and report upon the same to the City Council as soon as may be. Sent down for Concurrence. Came up concurred and the President Mop^r Tappan & Russell are joined.

Surveyors of Highways

Communication of the Surveyors of Highways relative to Warren Street and Bedford Street read and committed to the Mayor & Alderman Baxter to consider and report.

Health

An order to continue in force an order to establish rules & regulations for the preservation of the public health for other purposes, passed to be enrolled in Concurrence with the Common Council with amendments. Sent down for Concurrence. Came up concurred.

City Treasurer

Message from the Common Council, proposing a Convention of the City Council, on Wednesday next at 4 o'clock for the purpose of electing a City Treasurer.

Alderman Hooper was charged with a message to inform the Common Council

That the board of Aldermen concur with the
Common Council, in forming a convention for the
purpose of electing a City Treasurer, and to
propose the first Wednesday of June next, for
that purpose.

City
Treasurer

Mr. Baldwin came up with a
message from the Common Council, to inform the
board of Aldermen, that they concur in the
proposition to form a convention for the election
of a City Treasurer on the first Wednesday of
June next.

House of
Industry

The Committee to whom was referred
the subject of the House of Industry, Reported, that
it is expedient that the House of Industry at
South Boston, be put, as soon as practicable, into
a special operation. ~~accepted~~ Read & accepted.
Sent down for concurrence. -

Came up concurred.

House of
Industry

An order appropriating eight thousand
dollars towards completing the House &c
Sent down for concurrence
noncommittal in the Common Council -

school house

Order of the Common Council ~~was~~ ap-
pointing Messrs. Tobey, Page & Dexter, with such
as the board of Aldermen might join, be a
Committee to complete the school house erected
in

in Middle sheet, and to adjust all accounts
relating to the same. Came up for con-
currence. Read and concurred, and
Aldermen Eddy and Patterson are joined.

Superintendent
of
Police

Ordered, That the Mayor Aldermen
Child & Hooper, with such as the Common
Council may join, be a Committee to take
into consideration, whether any, & if any
what modifications ought to take place
in the powers, duties & office of Superintendent
of Police. Sent down for concurrence. Came
up concurred, and the Common Council joined
on its part Messrs E. Williams, Alsby and
Hodder & Francis. —

Apepors and
Assistant apepors

An ^{enrolled} order appointing Apepors & Assistant
Apepors, and to provide for the appointment &
Collection of Taxes. *Passed*

Weights and
measures

Samuel Beals was nominated & appointed scales
of weights and measures.
Adjourned to Wednesday next 3 o'clock
P.M.

Attest
J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Wednesday May 14th - 1823.

Present The whole board ^{met according to adjournment}

Gore.

Samuel Gore, the Petitioner, for open a drain in common sewer, upon which notice has been granted to all persons interested to appear at this time. The Petitioner consents that the Petition be withdrawn until the further notice of the Petitioner.

Representatives

The board proceeded to examine the returns from the several Wards given in on the 12th instant for twenty five persons to represent the City in the General Court the year ensuing. Found the whole number of votes given in and returned according to law to be 4334
wages for a choir 2168
and that twenty four persons had a majority of votes, and there is one vacancy.

to be notified

Ordered, that the persons elected be notified, according to law - and that the warrants for another meeting be issued to be held on Saturday next 12 o'clock, the poll to be closed at 2 o'clock p.m.

Health.

An enrolled order to continue in force an order to establish rules and regulations for the preservation of the public Health, & for other purposes" Passed.

Perkins and
Constables

The Committee to whom was referred
the Petition of James Perkins, Sother, Constable,
reported, that the Petition be granted for
one year, upon the following conditions
1.st That the s^d Constables at their own
expense cause the common to be put into
the same state for as nearly so as possible
that it was before the tents were erected
2.nd That the said Constables in no instance
charge the Prohibitors of tents more than
fifty Cents per day for each tent
erected on said Common.
3.rd The ground to be occupied for tents
the same as last year.

Copeland

The Committee to whom was referred
the application of Elisha Copeland upon the
same subject, reported, that it is inexpedient
to employ s^d Copeland in any other way
than the other Constables are employed,
on public days. —

Rice

Mr. E. Williams came up with a
message from the Common Council requesting
that the Petition of Henry Rice be sent down
and the same was sent to the Common
Council accordingly.

Hayward
Clerk of Market

Caleb Hayward, was nominated & appointed
Clerk of the Market, and thereupon ordered, that
he give good and sufficient bond in the penal
sum of One thousand dollars.

Rice

Letter from Henry Rice declining the
Office of Assistant Assessor which was read &
sent down.

Bank &
N.C.

Report upon the Petition of the Directors
of the Bank of N.C. for the purchase of the
State House - postponed until Monday next.

City Council
Court house

Order of the Common Council ap-
pointing Messrs E. Williams, Simeon & W. Winslow
with such as the board of Aldermen might
join, be authorized to take into consider-
ation the subject of the old, Gas, Gasolers house
the old Court house, & all the land upon which
those buildings stand, & the land thereunto adjoin-
ing belonging to the City, and to report in what
manner said property can be best disposed of for
the public interest. Came up for concurrence
Read & concurred, and the Mayor & Aldermen
Benjamin are joined.

Lincoln
Lynde
Lynde

The Committee on the Petition of Herman
Lincoln, & others, to widen Lynde street, ^{now} reported,
which was read & accepted.

House of
Industry

Mr. Leodidge came up with a message from the Common Council to inform the board of Aldermen that the Common Council have postponed the time of election of ~~the~~ ^{Directors} of the House of Industry until Monday next 5 o'clock P.M., and pray the concurrence of the board of Aldermen.

House of
Industry

Alderman Eddy was charged with a message to inform the Common Council that the board of Aldermen concur with them to postpone the election of ~~the~~ ^{Directors} of the House of Industry until Monday next.

Arches under
side walks

Order of the Common Council, authorizing the Mayor & Aldermen when application may be made to them for the purpose, to permit any person or persons within the City, to erect Arches under their side walks, the same to be done under such restrictions as to them may appear just & reasonable. Came up for concurrence.

Read & concurred

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Petition of Henry Rice, for liberty to erect arches under the side walk of State & Kilby streets near the store which he is building. Resolved & committed to Aldermen Child & Davis to consider & report.

Prinney

Petition of Amos Prinney, Winslow
Lewis & Henry Lewis, praying that deed of
the land upon which their Ripewalks stand
may be executed & delivered to them. Read
& committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter
& Hooper, with such as the Common Council
may join, to consider & report. Sent down
for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the
Common Council joined on its past Map?
Edwards, Silby, Savage, Amory, Bates &
Hendall.

Hubbard

Petition of John Hubbard to have the
line of Belknap street run, read & committed
to Aldermen Benjamin & Odiorne, to consider
and report.

Application of Silas W. Lawin, for a
loan from the Franklin fund read & committed
to Alderman Child.

Application of the members of the Suffolk

for a room to hold the Justice Court
more convenient than the one they now occupy.
Read & committed to the committee who have
under consideration the subject of the old Green
St. Court house, stand adjacent, to consider &
report. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Four

Petition of Hall J. Snow to purchase a
small lot of land near the school house West
Side. Read & committed to Aldermen Don
Schultz with such as the Common Council
may join to consider & report. Sent down
in consensus. Council concurred & the
Common Council joined in its last report.
C. Williams. C. R. Williams.

Aldermen to Monday next 3 o'clock
P.M. Messrs. J. M. Cleary City Clerk.

Thursday May 15th 1823. Special meeting
Present - The whole board.

Rice

The committee to whom was referred the Petition of Henry Rice, reported, that S. Rice has set his Collar wall three inches back of his line on State & Kilby streets, which helps the appearance and widens said streets, at his own expense. Snow wishes the privilege of making one Coal Cellar under the side walk on State street of eight by six feet, & alike one on Kilby street to be covered with stone not less than twelve inches thick, & to cover the entrance into them with iron covers. Said committee reported, that the prayer of the Petition be granted provided the same be done to the satisfaction of this board. Read & accepted.

Theatre

Federal St. &
Washington Garden

The Committee to whom was referred the Subject of licensing the Theatre in Federal street, & also the Washington Garden Theatre, made a Report which was read & accepted. -

Adjourned to Monday next 3^o clock -
Attest, C. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Monday May 19th 1823.
Present - The whole board, met according to adjournment.

Brimmer

Petition of Andrew Brimmer, relative to the public reservoir in Liberty square near I corn^{er} to Aldermen Schild & Dove, to consider & report.

Penniman

Elisha Penniman has leave to open the drain or common sewer in Newbury street - notice having been ordered for all persons to appear at this time - several persons appeared and made objection - The right of appointment to be referred for a future decision.

President pro tem.

Mr. E. Williams came up with a message to inform the board that the Common Council had made choice of Francis J. Oliver, Esq. President pro tempore in the absence of their President. —

Directors of House
of
Industry

Agreeably to adjournment the board proceeded to elect by ballot nine Directors of the House of Industry, and the votes being taken it appeared that the following Gentlemen were unanimously chosen viz: John Bellows

Wellows, George W. Otis, Henry J. Oliver,
Isaac M. Lellan, Cyrus Alger, Edward Conant,
Samuel Dorr, George W. Hallett and Benjamin
Spuntlett.

Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Assistant
Apothecary

Order of the Common Council appoint-
ing George A. Hodges an assistant apothecary
for Ward No. 6, in place of Henry G. Rice
who declines serving. Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred.

Schools

Upon the petition of T. A. Snelling &
B. D. Emerson, Masters of the Adams School, praying
that the necessary repairs may be made in
said School during the vacation. Read and
Ordered, that the members of this board who
belong to the several sub-committees of the public
schools to make all necessary repairs in the
several schools under their charge.

School house
Middle St.

Order of the Common Council authorizing the
Committee for completing the School house on Middle St.
Lot of land to be sold a small lot of land embracing about 500 feet on
the north side of the lot on which S. P. house stands.
And it is further ordered that the Mayor & Aldermen
be empowered to lease the Cellar under said building.
Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred.

Paupers

Petition of the Overseers of the Poor, concerning foreign Paupers, read & committed to the Mayor - Aldermen Baxter & Osborn, with such as the Common Council, may join, to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, and the Common Council joined on its part Mep^r 2. Among, Winslow, Wilkinson & Wales.

Callender

Petition of John Callender relation to digging down Olive street, read & committed to the Mayor - Aldermen Benjamin & Eddy to consider & report.

Hudson

Petition of Ara Hudson - praying to be employed as sweeper of Faneuil Hall Market - read & committed to the committee on the subject of the Market.

Marsh

Petition of Ephraim Marsh, for liberty to make a cuttion from the pump in Market square, to be carried to the railroad of the Faneuil Hall Market House, read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin & Patterson, to consider & report.

Green

William Green nominated & appointed a measure of Wood.

Wright

James Wright was nominated ^{by the Mayor} as a Constable of the City of Boston and the board confirmed.

School House
South Boston

Order of the Common Council appointing Messrs Brooks, Willcutt & Bradley with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a committee on the subject of building the School house at South Boston, to see that the same be completed according to contract, & to adjust all accounts relating to the same. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred and Aldermen Butler & Child are joined.

Bradley

Petition of David W. Bradley Chairman in behalf of the Committee of Arrangements ^{of Ancient & Hon. Artillery Co.} for the use of Faneuil Hall for their anniversary dinner ^{on Artillery Election Day}. Read & the prayer thereof granted.

Virtuallers

Joseph Joost, Samuel Ambron, Edward T. Gray, and Edward Town were licensed as Virtuallers.

Blake

gent. meeting Petition of William W. Blake and forty nine others, praying that a general meeting of the inhabitants may be called to consider the expediency of authorizing the City Council to petition the Legislature to amend the City Charter, so that the Warden & Inspectors may insert the names of persons qualified to vote, who may be omitted by the Mayor & Aldermen.

Hall agent
of sewer

Return of the expense of opening & repairing
a drain or common sewer in the case that by
Paul Hall Agent of John F. Low - no objection
being made an agreement was made, and
said Hall was authorized to ^{demand &} collect the
same and give discharges therefor.

Representative

The board proceeded to examine the returns of
votes from the several wards given in on the 19th
instant, for one person to represent the city in the
General Court, to complete the number twenty four
agreed upon by the City Council, and found the
whole number of votes to be 2267
necessary for a choice 1134
and no person had a majority of votes. It being
too late for another meeting, it is ordered that the
City Clerk make out a sign in behalf of the
Mayor & Aldermen stating to each of the persons
elected at the former meeting, to be delivered to them
by a constable, that returns be made out &
signed according to law.

Adjourned to Wednesday next at 3 o'clock.

Wm

Attest
E. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Wednesday May 21st 1823.

^{met according to adjournment.}
Present - The whole board except Alderman Odiorne

Hubbard.

The committee to whom was referred the Petition
line of Belknap of John Hubbard, Esq. reported that the line of the
Street. Easterly side of Belknap street, shall begin at a
point on Beacon street, thirty seven feet nine and
half inches from the corner of land of John Jay Esq.
deceased, then running to a point on Olive street,
thirty seven feet, three inches from the corner of a
house belonging to Thomas Perkins, Esq. The com-
mittee are confirmed in the belief of the above
described line being the true ~~line~~ one by their
having found at each of the above described
points the remains of old fence posts which pro-
bably have been there for the last thirty years.

Read and accepted.

Atas W. Tuwin, to be bond approved, for
Bro Franklin fund.

Hogreave.

Agreeably to adjournment the board proceeded
to the election of a Hogreave. Raywals and Jide,
drivers, and the vote being taken, it appeared,
that Atas Wright was chosen.

Put down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Prominence

The Committee to whom the representation, & Remonstrance of Andrew Boimner, reported that his representation is correct, and that equity demands redress for the injury sustained.

Read & accepted.

Assistant Police
Officers

Ordered, That the Mayor be authorized to employ one or more assistants of Police, to keep the peace on the Hill, so called.

Lyman

Theodore Lyman has leave to open the drain or common sewer in Lebanon street, notice having been ordered, for all persons to appear at this time no objection being made the prayer of said Petition is granted. —

House of Industry

Order of the Common Council, appropriated eight thousand dollars for the purpose of completing the House of Industry, and buildings, fences, for the purpose of stock, furniture, &c. for carrying the said House of Industry into effective operation. The Directors of the H. of Industry are hereby authorized to draw their warrants on the City Treasurer therefor from time to time as occasion may require. Came up for concurrence.

Read & concurred.

Cooman
Camera Obscura
lens & stand
for 6 weeks
p. \$3.

Petition of William R. Cooman, to exhibit
the Camera Obscura, in the streets of the City
on the same terms & conditions as he had
the same the last year. Read and the
prayer of the petition granted for three
months upon his paying therefor six Dollars.

How

Report of the Committee on the Petition
of Hall J. How, to purchase a piece of land
near the Boylston School house on East hill
That it is not for the interest of the City to
sell the piece of land. Read & accepted.
Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Cows

An order regulating the going at large of
Cows and the right of pasturage on Boston
Common passed to be enrolled. Sent down
for concurrence. Came up concurred with an
amendment. Read & concurred.

Lucian

The subject of discontinuing the claim of Green
Shepard as a Virtualist postponed to next
Wednesday.

Adjourned to Wednesday next 3 o'clock
A. M. Attest. J. M. C. Bay, City Clerk.

Special meeting

Saturday May 24th 1823.

Present - The whole board - except Aldermen Bayler
~~and~~ & Patterson.

Washington Gardens
Theatre
Leity Theatre
Licence issued -
for \$700.

Upon the petition of the Proprietors of
Washington Gardens Theatre, praying some modifica-
tion in the terms on which licences for Theatres are
to be granted. - And it appearing to this board that
the interests of the proprietors of the Washington
Gardens Theatre, and of the proprietors of the
land on which that Theatre is built have been
for along time distinct, the same being severed
by a lease made some years ago, and that to
obtain the responsibility of the proprietors of the
land will be impracticable. - Whereupon
Resolved, That the terms required for that
licence be so far modified, as that the
union of the proprietors of the land in the
bond; be not insisted upon and that it
only be required that such Proprietors or
Trustees being known responsible freeholders
satisfactory to the Mayor & Aldermen shall
enter into such bond.

Fire works

Complaints having been made to
this board of repeated insults to females, & others,
by the throwing of squibs & crackers in the
street - Whereupon Resolved - That in case

any ~~retail~~ ^{retailer} ~~grocer~~, Confectioner, Distiller, or
other person, licensed by this board, shall
make ~~any~~ sale of any spirit, cracker, or
artificial fireworks of that nature, contrary to
the law of the Commonwealth, in such case,
provided, upon proof thereof, such license will
be forthwith revoked by this board.

^{Resolved} That the Mayor give public
notice of the above vote, & also that
measures will be immediately taken to
detect & punish all offenders against
the said law of the Commonwealth.

Adjourned to Monday next 3 o'clock
P.M.

Attest,

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday May 26th 1823.

Present - The whole board, except Aldermen
Hooper.

Maniflas
Licen. expen.
p^d \$5.

M. Maniflas to be licensed at Concert Hall
to exhibit philosophical experiments, & granted for
the space of two weeks, upon paying five dollars
therefor.

Page
Licen. expen.
p^d \$5.
p^d the on for
one line 10.
\$15

Pinchas Page to be licensed to exhibit a
Menagerie of Animals consisting of Lions, Tigers &c.
at the Washington Gardens from Wednesday until
Monday night - granted upon paying thereof five
dollars.

Warren Street

Surveyors report on altering the lines of
Warren street - read & committed to the Mayor
(Aldermen Brazer & Benjamin), with power to lay
out Warren street upon such terms as to them
may seem meet.

Hammond

Re Hammond's petition to purchase a
piece of land on Mill Pond, land, read &
committed to the committee of both boards,
to whom was referred the petition of George
Smith, to consider & report.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Monroe

Petition of Washington Monroe to purchase
sixteen acres near the Green Dragon road and
committed to the committee to whom the
petition of Ebenezer Smith was referred, to consider
thereof.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Greenwood

Petition of John Greenwood, to have a lot
of land on South Margin street, read & committed
to the committee to whom was referred the
petition of Ebenezer Smith, to consider thereof.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Sabine

Petition of James Sabine, father, stating that
the common sewer in Elish street, has gone to
decay, & requires to be relaid - Ordered that the
petitioner, ~~shall~~ notify all persons interested therein
to appear at the Aldermen's room, on Wednesday
the fourth day of June next, at 4 o'clock
P.M. When came, if any they have, why
the same should not be relaid, & the expense
thereof laid upon the proprietors, or those
who may receive benefit thereon, by publishing
this order in the Daily Advertiser & Boston
Gazette, seven days, at least, before said day.

Equestrian
exhibitions

~~to the Mayor~~
Voted, That ^{in the} licences, for the present year,
that equestrian exhibition may be included in all
licences of any theatrical exhibition.

Bailey & Fitch
licence issued
for \$5.

Petition of Bailey & Fitch, proprietors of the
Panharmonicon, praying for a licence to exhibit
the same at the Exchange Coffee House for sixty
days - Read and the prayer thereof granted
upon paying five dollars

Treasurer to
borrow money

An order to authorize the City
Treasurer to borrow money for the use of
the City - Read & passed to be enrolled in
conjunction with the Common Council.

Cows

Ordered, That the ^{City} Clerk be cause the
order respecting Cows to be published in all the
newspapers

Tucker

Petition of Richard D. Tucker, & others
praying that the street in front of the colles
in Liberty square, that sides walks should
be made - Read & committed to Aldermen
Child & Dove, to consider & report.

Doggett
licence issued
for \$15.

Petition of John Doggett Esq. to have his
Asperity of Acts in Market street, renewed for
one year - granted upon paying ten dollars.

Severett street Voted, That the Mayor & Aldermen Benjamin
be a committee, to consider of the propriety of placing
flat stones across Severett street near the prison,
and if necessary to cause them to be placed there.
Also the same Committee to cause a carpet to
be placed on the floor of the court room of the
Municipal Court. Also the same Committee
to alter the pavement across Brattle street.

Merrick
Lynn Spent
p. \$1.

Petition of M. Merrick for a Concert at
Mystic Hall, on Thursday evening next
granted upon paying one Dollar therefor.

Himpson

Application of Andrew B. Himpson to be
licensed as an Innholder at Washington Garden
Theatre read & committed to the Mayor &
Alderman Child, to consider & report.

City Treasurer

An order to authorize the City Treasurer
to borrow money for the use of the City
passed to be enrolled in concurrence with
the Common Council.

Surveyors of
Highways

Report of the Surveyors of highways on the
Petition of Cornelius Coolidge relative to widening
Mason street read & committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Benjamin & Eddy, to consider and
report.

Comey

Petition of Benjamin Comey, Father, for a
Grave to be put in a well in Lynn
street. Read & committed to Alderman Eddy
to consider & report.

Holmes

Petition of Charles Holmes, Father for liberty
to dig a Well in Friend. street. Read &
committed to Alderman Patterson, to consider
& report.

Francis

Petition of Ebenezer Francis, praying
that the City would complete a fence begun
last year in the meek lands near Roabury
Line. Read & referred to the committee on
the meek lands, with ~~positive~~ authority to
build said fence. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Ship Street
Hartl.

Representation of the Surveyors of High
ways relation to widening Ship. Street near
Hart's Ship. yard and also relation to the
public slips. Also relation to a hole being
dug across Blopan street. Read and the
whole subject referred to the Mayor &
Alderman Eddy, to consider & report.

Eaton Gray

Application of Eaton Gray to supply the
new School House on Middle Street with twenty
five buckets. Read & committed to Aldermen
Patterson & Eddy, to consider & report.

Carts & Carriages

Market square

Order respecting Carts & Carriages standing
in Market square. Read & committed to
the Committee on the Market to consider &
report.

Licenses

William L. Smith was licensed as a
Vintner.

Committee

on

accounts

The ~~following~~ whole board were appointed
Committee on accounts, in the following order,
any two of whom in regular terms together
with the Mayor are authorized & empowered
to examine & pass all accounts monthly, and
when the same shall be passed by them
the City Clerk is ~~and~~ he & he is
authorized to draw a warrant upon the
Treasury for the amount.

Aldermen Baxter and Eddy

Child & Benjamin

Dorr & Patterson

Edwards & Hooper.

Adjourned to Monday next at 10 o'clock P.M.
Attest J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Thursday May 29th 1823.

Present. The whole board.

Mayors message The Mayors message relative to the
vote of the Citizens in general meeting
on the 15th instant, requesting the City
Council to petition the Legislature, for an
alteration of the City Charter so as to author-
ize the City Council, to appoint the Mayor
and Aldermen Surveyors of highways.
Read and sent down.

Coolidge's The Committee of this board on the
widening Union Petition of Cornelius Coolidge, relative to
street widening Union Street from Hottel's buildings
to the corner of Ann Street made a
report which was read & accepted.

City Marshal An ordinance authorizing the election
prescribing the duties of City Marshal
passed to be enrolled.
Sent down for concurrence.
Come up concurred, with amendments.
Read & concurred

Wainwright's
Black sheet

The Committee on the Petition of Henry Wainwright & others, to widen Black street, reported, that it is inexpedient to take any measures at present, on the subject of the application - Read Sanspetra.

Amount of
money to be
raised

Voted, that the Mayor, Aldermen Rooper and Child, be authorized to consider what sums will be necessary, for the repair of the City the ensuing year, and arrange the same under the ~~appropriation~~ appropriate heads of expenditure and make report ^{of the} ~~thereof~~ ^{respective} amounts as soon as practicable.

Bradlee
Tucker

The committee upon the Petition of Josh Bradlee & others, respecting side walks in Liberty square - made a report - which was read Sanspetra.

Alteration of
City Charter

Order of the Common Council appointing the President, Messrs Savage & Swett, with such as the board of Aldermen might join, ~~be~~ a committee to apply to the Legislature for an act to authorize the City Council, if they see fit, to appoint the Mayor & Aldermen, Surveyors of Highways, any thing in the act establishing the City of Boston, to the contrary notwithstanding. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred, & the Mayor & Alderman Rooper ~~are~~ joined.

Lincoln

Petition of Asman Lincoln, Others, praying that Cambridge Street may be paved as far as the bridge, read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Patterson, to consider & report.

Brooks

Petition of Noah Brooks, Others, for an engine at South Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Baxter & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Knapp

Petition of Josiah Knapp, Others, that Front Street may be paved. Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter & Dorr to consider & report.

Wentworth

Petition of Philip Wentworth, concerning Dock Lane, that the same may be paved. Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter & Dorr, to consider & report.

Waters

Petition of Isaac Waters, Others, praying that Ridgways Lane may be paved, and gutters made to carry. Read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin & Odiorne, to consider & report.

Fitch

Petition of Jeremiah Fitch, Vt. to
order Brattle street, read & committed, to
the Mayor, Aldermen Patterson & Hooper to
consider & report. —

Goodridge

Petition of Samuel Goodridge, Vt. that
measures may be taken adopted to compel the
owners of houses to which pumps are attached to
put the same in a state of usefulness, & that
the laws in relation to the premises may be
enforced. Read & committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider and
report.

Streets

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Child, Eddy & Patterson, be a committee
to consider & report upon measures for
keeping the streets clean.

Walley

Voted, That Alderman Eddy be
authorized to raise the side walks in front
of Mr. Walley's home near the School house
in Middle street.

Lamps

Voted, That the subject of lighting
the lamps, be committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Hooper & Child to consider &
report.

Health
Commissioners

The Mayor nominated and the board of
Aldermen appointed the following persons as
Health Commissioners W.L.

- Ward No. 1. George Parraott
" " 2. Joseph Lewis
" " 3. Robert Bacon
" " 4. Joseph Battister
" " 5. Benjamin French
" " 6. Jonathan Loring
" " 7. Henry Williams
" " 8. Charles C. Nichols
" " 9. John Cotton
" " 10. Samuel Sanger
" " 11. John Thompson
" " 12. Ephraim Marsh

City

Application of Nathaniel Fitz occupier
of No. 1 Middle street to put up a fruit bench
near the Mill bridge in front of the engine
house committed to Alderman Sully to
consider & report.

Halled

Application of George Hallet, & others
a committee of arrangements for celebrating the
 ensuing anniversary of the declaration of American
 Independence, praying for the use of the Republicans
 of Boston, the use of 'Faneuil Hall' on that
 day - Read & the prayer thereof granted

Am. J. Phillips. The following resolutions came up from the
Common Council. viz:

Whereas, the City Council have
been informed of the decease of the Honorable
John Phillips, late Mayor of this City, a
Gentleman, for many years distinguished for his
talents, integrity & public services.

Resolved, that we deeply lament this
mournfully event as a public loss.

Resolved, that we sympathize with
the bereaved family & friends of the deceased, &
that in token of our respect for his memory,
the City Council will attend his funeral at
the time that may be appointed therefor.

Resolved, that the City Clerk cause
the preceding resolutions to be published in the
several newspapers of the City.

Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred.

Ancient & Hon.

Artillery

Application of a committee of the
Ancient & Honorable Artillery Committee for
leave to employ Constables on artillery election
day. Granted.

Licences

John Cleveland and Edward Pelouze
were licensed as Vintners.

Adjourned to Monday morning 9 o'clock
Am. Vint. J. M. Gray, City Clerk.

Monday June 2^d 1823.

Present- The whole board except Alderman
Child.

City Treasurer in order to authorize the City Treasurer
to borrow money to borrow money for the use of the City
papers

Guild &
Wetmore

Upon the Petition of Benjamin Gault &
Wm. Wetmore Esq by Thomas Wetmore Esq their
Attorney, stating that the drain or common sewer
back of the line of brick buildings on the south side
of Wharf street is stopped or gone to decay -
Ordered that the Petrs. notify all persons inter-
ested to appear at the Aldermen's room, on Monday
the 11th instant at 4 o'clock Pm.

Moses Singing
4th July

Voted, That the subject of providing music
Singing on the 4th July next, be referred to the
Mayor and Alderman Child, with power to provide
suitable music.

Constables

Voted, That two Constables be ordered to
Parment Hall, to be subject to the order of
M^r. Smith the provider of the Dinner -

Lancey

Samuel J. Lancey's application to be
excused as an innholder in Leverett street be
committed to Aldermen Dorr & Patterson to
consider & report.

Davis

Elisha Davis licensed as a Victualler.

Hayward,
Clerk of
Market.

Leah Hayward's bond - as clerk of the
Market approved - provided he ^{or his bondsmen} deposit with
the City Treasurer \$700 of 5 % Cert
State of the Eagle & Suffolk banks - as
additional security.

Health Com.

Statement of the expenditures & receipts
of the Health Commissioners the past year
read & committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hddy.

Hubbard

Samuel Hubbard's account against the
City referred to the Mayor.

Page

Petition of Calvin Page & others, to have
Garden street paved. Read & committed to
the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne, Benjamin &
Patterson, with power to consider the whole
subject of drains on the Hill (so called).

Lynde street

Voted, That the subject of widening Lynde
Street, be committed to the former committee on
that subject, with power to take the land, make
such compensation therefor as to them may
seem proper.

Name of
Industry.

Voted, That the subject of Home
Leats, at the Home of Industry be
committed to the Mayor & Aldermen
Bafter.

Accounts agⁿ
City

Warrant upon the City Treasurer
issue for the amount of the several
accounts against the City made up &
allowed by the Committee amounting to
\$

Bradstreet

The City Clerk was directed not to issue a
licence in favour of Dudley Bradstreet, as a
Vintner at Washington Gardens.

Adjourned to Wednesday next 4th Clock.

- Attest

J. M. Cleary City Clerk

Wednesday June 4th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Alderman Eddy.

Waters

The committee to whom was referred the Petition of Isaac Waters, & others, that Ridgeways Lane may be put in repair, reported, that the said lane has not been accepted, by the City nor does the Committee believe that said lane is useful to any of the Inhabitants - and the Committee are of opinion that it is the duty to keep it in repair.

Report read & accepted.

Lancy

The committee on the application of Samuel D Lancy to be licensed as an Innholder reported, that he be licensed as a Victualler. Read & accepted.

Holmes

Petition of Charles Holmes & others, praying that a wall near the Prison on Leverett Street, ^{might be built} read & transmitted to Aldermen Benjamin & Doiome, to consider & report.

Maxwells

Voted, That the subject of W^m Maxwells claim be referred to a committee of this board to make further enquiries - The Mayor and Alderman Patterson were appointed on said Committee.

Blake

Report of the committee on the petition of Wm. W. Blake who reported a bill ~~responing~~ ^{responing} Warden Inspector in the City of Boston to send names of voters in the list of voters - Read and thereupon ordered, that a general meeting be called at Faneuil Hall on Monday next at ten o'clock.

Common

Voted, that the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter, ^{Chill} and Benjamin, be a committee to take charge of the Common.

Common
Hamock estate

Voted, that said committee be authorized to make a bargain with the owner of the Hamock estate, for the gravel now digging from said estate.

Dall

Petition of William Dall, & others that a Watch house - and Watch men may be established at the South end of South Boston bridge Read and committed to the Mayor & Aldermen Baxter, to consider & report. Recommended to lie.

Garage

Petition of G. A. Garage & John Peritt 3^d a Committee of the Society for the relief of the "distressed" Read and committed to the for the use of the City, Court Room on the evening of the first Monday of July next. Read & the prayer thereof granted.

Bradford

Petition of John K. Bradford, & other officers
of Washington Institute for a new Hall for an
Army in ^{and connected to} ~~Albany~~ ^{Proper}, Patterson & Benjamin
Armory in Faneuil Hall, which Committee are
authorized to enquire and report a statement of
the situation of the several rooms in Faneuil
Hall.

House of
Correction

Voted, and Ordered, That until a
House of correction be provided in this County,
the Common Prison of this County be used for
that purpose and that Stephen Badlam, Esq. be
and hereby is appointed master thereof.

Beaman

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Petition of Robert M. Breman, for a
Virtualists license on the Mill Dam road and
committed to the Mayor - Aldermen Boorne &
Benjamin to consider and report.

Cows

Enrolled order regulating the going
at large of cows and the right of pasturage on
Boston Common, paper.

Sabine

James Sabine, Samuel Davis & Abraham Bazin
have leave to open and repair the drain or
common sewer in Eliza street, notice having been
ordered for all persons to appear at this time
no objection being made. The prayer of said
Petition is granted. -

Streets

Voted, That the Committee appointed upon cleaning the streets be authorized to purchase four horses and to put into operation four carts and to employ a suitable Superintendent & as many men as may be necessary for the purpose of cleaning the streets for one month.

Methodist Epis. Ch.

Petition of the Proprietors of the Methodist Episcopal Church for liberty to erect tombs under the same. Read and committed to the Mayor Alderman Burr and Hooper, with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined on its part. Messrs Page, J. Perkins, Wales, & Bullard.

Dickson

Report of the Surveyors of highways allowing James A. Dickson, one hundred dollars ^{for} taken to widen Federal street - Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Franklin School
House

Voted, That Alderman Baxter be authorized to put in order the Franklin School House.

Burr

Petition of Jonathan Burr to have the pump in Beason street near the Hancock house put in order - Read & committed to the Committee on the Common.

adjourned to Monday next 10 o'clock for an ~~open~~ City Mkt.

Monday June 9. 1823.

Present - The whole board except Alderman Dorr.

Marsh

Petition of Ephraim Marsh, relative to drain
a common sewer in Eldest Street - Read &
committed to the Mayor Aldermen Baxter
Child & Benjamin, who are authorized to
take the whole subject of drains & common
sewers into consideration.

Trull

Petition of Ezra Trull & others, relative
to repairs in South Margin Street - Read
and committed to Aldermen Edcorne and
Benjamin to consider & report.

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taxes

An order in addition to an order on
the subject of taxes, & for repealing the second
& third sections thereof - Read & passed to be
enrolled in concurrence with the Common
Council.

Taylor

Daniel Taylor's application for a Virtual
License, avenue leading to Elm Street - Read and
committed to Aldermen Benjamin & Patterson to
consider & report.

Tappan

Petition of Lewis Tappan & others,
relating to Patrol Watch in Valour & Gate
street - Referred to the Mayor

Dunn

Application of Jabez Dunn ^{ref} for
a Virtualist's license - read. Referred to
Alderman Patterson.

Bond

Petition of George Bond concerning
Summer street & Winthrop place - Read &
referred to Aldermen & Dorr, to consider &
report.

Train

Petition of Samuel Train to have
a quantity of stones & shavings removed from
Middlecot street. Read & committed to
Alderman Odiorne, to consider & report.

Suffolk bar

Petition of the Suffolk bar for
a room to hold the Justice Court. Read &
committed to the Mayor - Aldermen Benjamin
& Hooper to consider & report.

Old Jail. Court
House &c.

The Committee on Old Jail,
Court House and the land adjacent read

a report - Read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Look

Petition of Ephraim Look for liberty
to sell at Auction in a building on State
street. Read & the prayer thereof not
granted.

Jones

Petition of Thomas W. Jones & others
praying that Kilby street may be numbered
and that Adams street may be added to
Kilby street - The subject of altering the
name referred to Aldermen Child & Dove
to consider and report.

Health Com.

A communication from the Health
Commissioners relative to their organization, and
the several persons whom they have appointed
to office.

Assistant apcor

Order of the Common Council appointing
mas Prouty an assistant apcor for Ward No. 6
in place of George A. Hodges who declined
serving.

Came up for concurrence

Read & concurred.

Superintendent
of
Police

Benjamin Pollard Esq. was nominated
by the Mayor and appointed Superintendent
of Police.

Clerk & Market
and

Caleb Hayward Esq. Clerk of the
Market's account to some 4th amounting to
\$755, 34 - examined and allowed with some
he has paid into the City Treasury.

Dickson

Federal Street

The Committee upon the subject of
widening Federal Street, by taking a small
piece belonging to James A. Dickson recommended
a compliance with the report of James John
Lottens - viz: that \$200 be paid to said
Dickson for said land. Resd. & accepted &
recommended to the same Committee with
liberty to lay out said land.

Ellison - a
Surveyor of
Lumber &c

Samuel Ellison was appointed a
Surveyor of boards and lumber.

Set down for concurrence
Came up concurred

New Gaol

Resolved, That the Committee on the
subject of the New Gaol be authorized to
erect blinds to such windows as they may
think fit. —

Wentworth
Park Lane

The Committee upon the petition of Philip Wentworth concerning Park Lane - reported, that the prayer thereof be not granted - Read & accepted. -

Loring

Petition of Benjamin Loring - for liberty to erect arches under the side walks in State Street in front of his Store that he is about to erect. Read & committed to Aldermen Child and Dorr, with authority to do what may be proper.

Price

Petition of Silas Price & others, representing that the side walk in Elm Street in front of store occupied by M. S. Van is so much out of repair as to render it dangerous to walk on the same.

Read & committed to Alderman Patterson to consider & report.

Independence

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to wait upon His Excellency the Governor, & to state to him the wishes of this board that the State & Municipal authorities should unite in the celebration of the 4th of July next.

Bresman

Robert M. Bresman - Virtualiter Licent

Swift
Center street.

The owners of the land, Estate of the
late Mary Swift, situated on Center street, in
tending to erect a building on the westerly part
of said land, agree to place the building so
far back on their said land, as that two
feet shall be added to said street at the
westerly end of said land; and the land so to
be added to said street, is to form a gore
of land running to a point on said Center
street. The City agrees not to take any
more land from said estate.

Imms

Six Imms drawn off the District Court.

Adjourned to 4 o'clock on Wednesday
Afternoon. Attest, J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Wednesday June 11. 1823.

Present - The whole board.

Fay

M^{rs} Fay - a widow - applies to make to have her Cow go upon the Common free of expense - granted on account of her poverty.

Inors

Thirty four Inors drawn for the Court of Common Pleas.

Stanislas
licensed speaker
at \$10.

M. Stanislas has been licensed to exhibit in Philosophy & Electricity at Concord Hall for one week, he having paying therefor two Dollars.

Trull

Report of the Committee on the Petition of Ezra Trull, Father, relative to South Margin street. Read and accepted.

Lewis

M^{rs} Lewis is permitted to keep one Cow on the Common free of expense.

City Treas^r.

The Committee appointed to audit the accounts of the City & County Treasurer for the past year. They find the accounts rightly cast & properly vouched. A balance due from Read & accepted.

Treas^r Jan 1. 1823

\$16.589 67.

Set down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Hubbs

Petition of W. Hubbs, for a lamp in
Margaret street - Read & committed to
Alderman Eddy, to consider & report.

Williams

Heret Williams, for a vitrallers room
read & committed to Alderman Dove.

Grinnell

John Grinnell, for a vitrallers room
read & committed to Alderman Baxter -

Sampson
Home of Industry

Leophaiah Sampson account being abated
the sum for building house of industry at South
Boston, being \$364. 40. allowed -

Home of
Industry

Resolved, That Aldermen Odiorne, Benjamin
& Eddy be a committee to examine the Museum
account of the Home of Industry

Holmes

Report of the committee on the petition
of Charles Holmes, Father, to dig a well in
Friend street, that the prayer thereof be
granted. Read and accepted ~~report~~ but
no pump shall be placed in the street.

Curtis

Petition of Neddy Curtis relative to
disturbances at South Boston - read and
committed to the Mayor to consider and
report.

Otis

Petition of H. G. Otis, Votter, to have
Beacon street, widened - Read and committed
to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider
and report. -

City Treas^r

Ordered, That the City Treasurer be
requested to make out a schedule of the
property ^{belonging to} the City, to be laid before the
Mayor and Aldermen.

Dearborn

Petition of Benjamin Dearborn concerning
Common sewer or drain - Theatre alley, & Federal
street - Read & committed to Aldermen Child &
Dove, to consider and report -

Williams

Petition of John D. Williams, Votter, Inhab^r
of Ward N^o 12. for a School house in said
Ward, Read and committed to Aldermen the
Mayor, Aldermen Baxter & Eddy, with such
as the Common Council may join, to consider
and report. Sent down for concurrence -
Came up concurred and the Common Council
joined on its part Mess^{rs} Winslow, Deater, Kendall &
Bradlee.

Guild

Wetmore

Benjamin Guild and William Wetmore
Esq^s have liberty to open & repair the drain or
common sewer back of the line of Truck buildings
on the south side of Wharf street, motion having
been

been ordered for all persons to appear at this
time no objection being made. The prayer of
said Petition is granted.

House of
Industry

Ordered, That Aldermen Odiorne,
Benjamin & Eddy, be a committee to examine
the accounts of the Treasurer of the House of
Industry.

Adjourned to Monday next 1 o'clock P.M.
Attest J. M. Elsey, City Clerk.

Monday, June 16. 1823.

Presents. The whole board —

City Court Voted, That Alderman Eddy, be authorized to repair a drain in City Court (so called) and to employ such persons as may be thought necessary for that purpose.

Winter street Voted, That Messrs. Odiorne, Child & Benjamin, be a committee to examine the buildings now erecting by the Hon. William Phillips, to ascertain if any encroachment has been made upon Winter street.

Prince street Voted, That the Mayor & Alderman Eddy be a committee to examine Daniel Millard's steps to his house in Prince street, to ascertain if the same encroaches upon said street.

Conant Voted, That Alderman Eddy be a committee to enquire as to the application of Daniel Conant to be exempted from paying the tax upon his Car on account of his poverty, & report thereon.

Milk street Voted, That Aldermen Child & Dorr be a committee to enquire into the subject of the drain in Milk street, & report thereon.

Essex street

Voted, That the subject of the foot pavement in Essex street, and the piece of land thereto adjoining be referred to the Mayor & Alderman Baxter to report thereon.

~~Voted, That~~

Whitman

Petition of Benjamin Whitman, Colthens, relative to retaining the burial ground around the Chapel burial ground. Read & committed to the Mayor, Odiorne & Patterson, to consider and report.

Lewis

Petition of Asa Lewis in behalf of the several Engine Companies, for some relief. Read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin & Eddy, to consider & report.

Amislas

Re? \$6. for
3 nights

June 18. '22

22. Rec? \$10
Schaffer for 5 nights
of paper.

June 20. p. \$10.

July 9. p. \$6.

17 p. \$2.

Voted, That M^r. Amislas' license be

renewed and extended upon paying two dollars each night.

Petition of John H. Schaffer, to be

employed to provide fire works on the Common on the evening of the fourth of July read & committed to the Mayor to consider and report.

Otis

Report of the Committee on the petition of
Harrison G. Otis, & others, are of opinion that
the prayer of the pet^r ought not to be granted
because almost every street in the City needs
watering in dry weather as much as Park &
Beacon streets. Read & accepted.

City Marshal

Ordered, That the room called the
grand jury room in the County Court House,
be assigned for the office of the City Marshal
and that such desk and tables as may be
necessary be supplied.

Wm. Stetson

Representation of Joseph Kingsley & others
relation to William Crombie's sign in Cambridge
street, read and committed to the Mayor to
consider and report.

Trucks

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen,
Dorr and Benjamin, be a committee to ar-
range the stands of trucks and to report.

Stimie

Petition of John A. Timber, & others, relation
to dogs fighting read and committed to the
Mayor to consider & report.

Amos

3^d June drawn for the Municipal
Court.

English Chapel
School

The Committee upon Report of the
sub Committee upon the English Chapel
School, - ^{and a vote of the sub Committee thereon} read & committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Baxter & Hooper, with such
as the Common Council may join, to con-
sider & report. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined in its
past Mep.^s Adam, J. R. Williams, Hastings & Francis.

Street dirt

An order prohibiting the taking away
street dirt or manure without licence.
Read and passed to be enrolled.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Streets

An order prohibiting the moving
of steps into the streets - read & passed
to be enrolled. Sent down for concu-
rence. Came up concurred.

Williams

The Committee to whom was referred
the application of George Williams, for a
situation licence - reported that G. Williams
is a foreigner by birth, & not naturalized,
that he have a licence when he shall

the

naturalized, but not before - Read & accepted

Pastrouch

The Committee upon the application of Peter Pastrouch, reported, that said Pastrouch is a foreigner not naturalized, and that he have leave to withdraw his petition - Read & accepted.

Drum

The Committee upon the petition of Jabez Drum, reported, that he is a foreigner not naturalized, and that he have leave to withdraw his petition - Read & accepted.

Burr

The Committee on the petition of Jonathan Burr - reported that the petitioners have liberty to repair the pump & well in Beaman street as they please at their own expense - Read & accepted -

Boston

on

boundary line

Report of the Committee of last year, establishing the boundary line between Roxbury & Boston read & committed to the Mayor Aldermen Doer, Benjamin & Baxter, to consider Report.

Health Com^{rs}

Statement of the Health Commissioners expences the last year read and ^{sent} ~~ordered to be~~ filed sent down.

Goodridge?

The Committee upon the Petition of
Samuel Goodridge Johns, reported, that the
business is settled - Read & accepted?

House of
Industry

The Committee to whom was referred
the subject of the Treasurer of the House
of Industry's accounts have attended to
the examination of the same, and they
find them well vouched, and right
correct. Read and accepted -

The whole amount \$46,138.40. -

Approved to be paid as follows
Attest
J. M. Leary, Cash. Clerk

Wednesday June 18th 1823.

Present - The whole board - except Alderman Eddy.

Independence

Voted, That Aldermen Child, Benjamin and Eddy be authorized to make arrangements for celebrating the next anniversary of American Independence, and that a sum of money not exceeding two hundred dollars, be appropriated for that purpose.

Chapel burial ground

The Committee upon the subject of repairing the Chapel burial ground - reported, that it be recommended to the board - of health to cause the gate fence to be removed so as to conform to the line of the streets. Read and accepted. Indorsed accordingly.

Fish in the Market

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen Patterson & Benjamin, be authorized to take into consideration the subject of selling fish in the Market, and report thereon.

City Marshal

An ^{amended} ordinance authorizing the election and prescribing the duties of City Marshall - passed.

Taxes

An enrolled order in addition to an order on the subject of taxes and for repealing the second and third sections thereof being 1182d passed.

City Treasurer

Mr. Wales came up with a message from the Common Council to propose a Convention of the City Council, forthwith for the election of a City Treasurer.

Concur

Alderman Dorr was charged with a message to inform the Common Council that the Board of Aldermen concurs with them in forming a Convention at the time and for the purpose above mentioned.

City Treasurer

In Convention

Messrs Samuel Perkins, Bullard and Adam Leckman were appointed to receive, sort and count the votes for a City Treasurer and collector, & the votes being taken it appeared that William Mackay, Esq. was unanimously chosen. The business of the Convention being accomplished the two boards separated.

City Treasurer
to be notified

Ordered, that the City Clerk notify William Mackay, Esq. that he has been duly elected by the City Council, City Treasurer and Collector for the year ensuing. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Steps in Streets

An ^{enrolled} order prohibiting the projecting of steps into the streets - being read & passed.

Street dirt

An enrolled order prohibiting the taking away street dirt or manure without license - being read & passed.

City Marshall

An enrolled ~~order~~ ordinance authorizing the election and prescribing the duties of City Marshall - being read & passed.

Drains &

Common sewers

An order relative to drains and common sewers being read & passed to be enrolled.
Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred as taken into a new draft.
Read & concurred.

Surveyors of
highways

Order of the Common Council appointing the Mayor and Aldermen Surveyors of highways for the City of Boston for the year ensuing.
Came up for concurrence
Read & concurred.

Minor Inhab.
Ward No. 6.

Petition of William Minor & others,
Inhabitants of Ward No. 6, praying that a
place may be built or provided for the holding
meetings of the citizens of said Ward?
Read and committed to the committee who
have under consideration the reports of the
sub-committee on the English Classical
School, & a report of the School Committee
thereon, to consider & report. -

Put down for concurrence
came up concurred.

Lynde street

The referees on the value of land taken
to widen Lynde street, are of opinion, that the
city should pay the sum of two hundred twenty
two & 1/2 dollars to Mr. Thomsdike for the strip
taken from him & \$185.25 to Mr. Dennis for
the strip taken from him &c.

Read & accepted - and the Mayor is author-
ized to settle with the parties according to the
awards of referees - and to cause the lines to be
drawn upon the plans of streets.

Spice

The committee upon the petition of
Silas Peice & others - relation to the side walk
in Elm street made a report - which was
read & referred to the Mayor -

Bancroft,

Petition of Joseph Bancroft, & others,
requesting that the County Carts from standing
in and about Broad street - Beal and committed
to the Mayor, to consider and report upon the
whole subject of the sale of meats & vegetables in
& about Broad street.

Harris

Voted, That Aldermen Child & Dorn
be a committee to take into consideration the
complaint of Samuel Harris, who complains of
Samuel Wheelwright for laying a flagging side
walk making the street called Gibbs lane so
narrow as to be inconvenient to passengers, & if
laid equally on the other side there would not
be five feet passage way, for carts. - who are
to report thereon.

Fruit, beer

Voted, That the subject of the
sale of fruit, beer and the placing of stalls,
be committed to the committee who have
under consideration the sale of meats & vegetables
in and about Broad street.

Dock square

Voted, That the Mayor take into
consideration the right ^{what} of the proprietors on
Dock square ^{have} to place their goods on the side
walk.

Engine

Mr. Williams came up with a paper from the Common Council, I request that the paper relative to an engine & Bill in Ward No. 9 - should be sent down. - The same was sent to the Common Council accordingly.

Streets and
highways

Voted, That the whole board upon the subject of streets and highways be divided into ^{Sections} ~~sub-committees~~ to have a general care and supervision of the ^{several} sections set against their names respectively viz:

- Sec. 1. Aldermen Eddy & Patterson Wards No. 1, 2 & 3.
" 2. " Child & Dorr " 4, 8 & 9
" 3. " Odiorne & Benjamin " 5, 6 & 7.
" 4. " Baxter & Hooper " 10, 11 & 12

and that the Mayor have the general superintendence of the whole.

Paving of
Streets

Voted, That in all questions of the paving of streets - when the committee of the section shall have acted upon the subject it shall be reported & acted upon by the whole board, when it shall exceed fifty dollars.

Building
repairing &
erection of

Voted, That the subject of erecting or
repairing buildings be referred to the Mayor,
who is hereby authorized to give instructions in
all cases to the City Marshall to carry into
effect the by law of the town of Baton,
passed Mar 22^d 1801 to prevent nuisances in
the streets.

Pollard
City Marshall

Benjamin Pollard, Esquire was nominated
and by the Mayor and approved and ap-
pointed by the board City Marshalls.
he was also nominated and appointed a
Constable and tythingman agreeable to the
provisions of the ordinance this day passed
the City Council, authorizing the election &
prescribing the duties of City Marshalls.

Well

Report of the Committee upon the subject of
drinking a well - reported that a well be dug near
the store occupied by Messrs Lane & Hurrewell and that
water be taken from it by lead pipes to be carried to the
north west north east & south east corners of the old
market house - Read and accepted & ordered, that the
Mayor, Aldermen Benjamin & Patterson, be a committee to carry
said report into effect.

~~Resolved~~ to Monday next to be done
for

Attest

J. M. C. City Clerk.

Carried over

Sanford

Upon the petition of Samuel Sanford; for liberty to open & repair the drain or common sewer leading from Jarvis' row into Newbury street - Motion made to appear on Monday the 30th instant at 4 o'clock P.M. for all persons interested then to appear & show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. -

Cobb

Petition of Samuel Cobb and others stating that Franklin place & Arch street are out of order & requires paving, and requesting the surveyors of highways to view the premises. Read and committed to Aldermen Child and Dove. -

Mumroe

Report of the Committee on the petition of Washington Mumroe to purchase a piece of land near Green dragon - Reported, that it is not expedient to sell. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Smith

Report of the Committee on the petition of Ebenezer Smith to purchase a lot of Mill pond land - That it is not expedient to sell. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Tighe,
Kennedy,
(2)

Patrick Tighe - and Thomas Kennedy were
sited as Virtualists - having removed from
former places.

Adjourned to Monday next 4th Clock P.M.
Attest,
J. M. McLean, City Clerk.

Friday, June 20th 1823. Special meeting.

Present - The whole board.

Old Gaol &
Gaolers house

Voted, That the Mayor - Aldermen Benjamin
and Patterson be a committee with instructions
to carry into execution the sales of the material
of the Old Gaol, and the lean of the Gaol
House - as mentioned in the report of the
Committee paper of assistants. —

City Treasurer -

Order of the Common Council, ^{authorizing} ~~directing~~
the Mayor and Aldermen to require of the
City Treasurer a bond with satisfactory
sureties in the penal sum of twenty thousand
dollars, for the faithful performance of his
duty as Treasurer, also for the same sum as
Collector of the City of Boston. Came up
for concurrence. Read and concurred, with
an amendment. Told down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Rupell

The committee on the application of David
Rupell for a virtualle's license - reported that
David Rupell is a foreigner not naturalized -
that his petition be not granted. Read and
accepted.

Independence

A communication from the Secretary stating
that the Governor Council will celebrate the
anniversary of our Independence in the same manner
as has been done by the Supreme Executive of the
State for several years past and the City au-
thorities are invited to join unite. Read
I thereupon ordered that the City Council
accepted the invitation of the Supreme Executive
in writing to celebrate the anniversary aforesaid
Sent down for concurrence
Come up concurred

Old South
Church

Voted, that Alderman Dorr be a committee
to apply to the proprietors of the Old South Church
for the use of the same on the 4th day of
July next

Warren Street

S. P. Fuller, Surveyor certificate of the quantity
of land taken from the estate of John Popson him to situate
Warren Street, measures 122 square feet - the quantity
of land sold Map^r Emmons & Archibald on the south
side of Warren Street 153 square feet, and the quantity
sold Thomas Emmons is 6 square feet - Read and
committed to Aldermen Baxter, Benjamin and
Hooper.

Capell

Voted, that James G. Capell have a shop
for his cow, & that he be permitted to feed on
the Common without pay on account of his poverty.

Old Gad

Voted, that the Mayor - Aldermen, Benjamin Hatterson, be a committee to carry into effect the report of the Leominster authorizing the sale of the Old Gad, & the leasing the Old Gad house -

Knapp

Petition of Jonah Knapp. Others: to have Woodland street paved read and committed to the Committee of that section viz: Aldermen Baxter & Hooper -

Prop: D Church

Report of the Committee on the Petition of the Committee of the Proprietors of the second Church for leave to erect a steeple and bring the same further into the street - That the prayer of the Petition ought not to be granted: Read & accepted - and ordered that the same be recommended with instructions to make the line of their future porch -

Bartlett

Petition of Joseph Bartlett for a license to sell tickets for admission to hear him deliver an Oration - from 6. on the evening preceding the fourth day of July next. Read and the prayer thereof granted with out pay -

Vegetable
Market

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs E Williams, Adam, Wales, Page, Wheeler with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a committee to enquire into the expediency of erecting a Vegetable Market, in the vicinity of Finsbury Hall with instructions if the Committee shall think favourably of the subject - they cause a plan to be made of the building they propose to erect, accompanied with an estimate of the probable expense, & lay the same before the City Council at their next meeting for their consideration. Resolved for concurrence - Read & concurred to by the Mayor, Aldermen Child & Benjamin are joined.

Finance to
publish receipts
&
expenditures

Order of the Common Council, directing the Committee of Finance with such as the board of Aldermen might join be a committee to prepare a report of the receipts & expenditures of the City of Boston, & the County of Suffolk for the past municipal year, together with a particular statement of the receipts & expenditures of all public monies, and a particular statement of all City property. Resolved for concurrence - Read & concurred, & the Mayor Aldermen Odiorne & Child are joined.

Bathing

(4)

Swimming

(5)

Order of the Common Council, appointing
Messrs. Swett, Dexter, & John S. Perkins, with
such as the Board of Aldermen might join
a committee to enquire if any & what measures
ought to be taken to procure public bathing
places, where the children of the citizens
may bathe and learn the art of swimming
so indispensable for the health, comfort and
cleanliness, & so important for the security
of their lives. Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred and Aldermen Baxter,
Eddy and Dorr are joined. —

I adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock
P. M. Attest
J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday June 23rd 1823.

Present - The whole board

Hubbard

The committee to whom was referred the account of Samuel Hubbard, reported that having examined the ~~within~~ aforesaid account, that it is just & right -

Pollard

Benjamin Pollard, Esq. City Marshall filed City Marshall his bond for the faithful execution of his said Office, as well as that of Constable and Tithingman which was approved.

Said Pollard also took the oaths of Constable as well as that of Tithingman which were administered to him by the Mayor, before the board of Aldermen.

Wheeler

Petition of Ruben Wheeler to be licensed as an Innholder - was committed to Alderman Dorr -

English

W. 82

Clark

Thomas English - licensed as an Auctioneer ~~from 1st to 31st Dec.~~

Thomas Clark's bond as an auctioneer approved.

Parkman

Samuel Parkman's account read & comm^d to Alderman Eddy.

Wetmore

Petition of Wm Wetmore & Benj Child relation to a drain in Wharf street read & committed to the Mayor Alderman Child & Dorr to consider & report

Truckmen

Petition of several Truckmen giving the number of Carts, Trucks & horses - read to the Committee on similar applications.

Primary School

Order of the Common Council directing that \$135 be paid to William Brown, Secy. as Treasurer of the Committee for providing instruction for children under seven years of age, to make good the deficiency of appropriation for that purpose during last year. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred.

Winter street

The committee appointed to establish the boundary line on the north side of Winter street have determined that a line drawn from the south west corner of the dwelling house of the widow Elizabeth Allen in said street to the south east corner of the new block of dwelling houses now erecting by the Hon. W. Phillips frontier on Common street is the true line separating between said buildings - Read & accepted.

Brown

Memorial of J. B. Brown praying the Park street Clock Park street Clock may be put under the direction of Simon Willard, of Roxbury, for one year - Read and the prayer thereof granted.

Board

Winthrop place

The Committee on the Petition of George Board, in behalf of the Proprietors of Winthrop place, Reported, that the street near Winthrop place be paved & repaired, as soon as it can be made convenient: - They further report, that if the Petitioners will cause to be erected a suitable number of lamps, under the direction of this Board for the lighting Winthrop place, that the City accept them, & cause the same to be lighted at the public expense. Read & accepted.

Cobb

Franklin place

Arch street

The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Samuel Cobb, & others, respecting Franklin place & Arch street, reported, that it is expedient that said Franklin place, on the south side of the Arch street, to meet the paving near the Theatre, & the whole of Arch street, should be paved & do recommend that as soon as said Arch street is presented to & accepted by the City, & the sum of \$300 shall be subscribed by the Petitioners & others, for the purpose of defraying a part of the expense to be incurred which will be probably about \$900 - Read & accepted.

Harris

The Committee to whom was referred the Complaint of Samuel Harris against Samuel Wheelwright for laying a flagging side walk in Gethsemane Lane - Reported, as on file - Read and accepted.

Independence

Voted, That the City will pay fifty dollars in addition to the sum of \$200 provided the ^{exhibiting} ~~expenditure~~ be splendid & satisfactory. Music included, & provided that \$250 at least be subscribed, by private citizens —

Summer street

Voted, That the Commissioner be authorized to procure and frame banners that agreeable to the vote of the board.

Adjourned to Wednesday next 4 o'clock
p. m. Attest
J. M. McKay, City Clerk.

Wednesday June 25th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Alderman
Patterson.

Holmes

Petition of Charles Holmes & others, for liberty
to dig a well in Friend street, and the
report of the committee thereon - Read again
and ordered that the same be committed to
Aldermen Benjamin Eddy to grant or
refuse the prayer of the petition as they
may think fit -

Foley

Memorial
On the petition of Edward Foley, & others,
relative to opening a drain in the rear of Wharf
Broad street - Read and thereupon ordered,
that the City Marshall be directed to
cause attend and cause said drain to be
opened and cleaned: -

Lincoln

Report of the committee on the petition
of Roman Lincoln & others, for paving Cambridge
street as far as the bridge - as on file -
Read and accepted -

Officers County

Application for painting County Offices
at Room in County Court House Read & committed to
Alderman Benjamin -

Market

An order for the better regulating
horses and carriages in the Market.
Read and passed to be enrolled.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred.

Innocent

Ordered, That the subject of making a
list of persons for serving on the Juris &
the several Courts and ~~committing~~ be
committed to the whole board to consider &
report -

Train

The Committee appointed to attend to
the subject of the petition of Samuel Train
to have the rubbish & dirt from Middlebury
Street have caused the same to be removed
Read & accepted.

Schaffer

The Committee on the petition of John
H. Schaffer - reported, that it is not
expedient to grant the prayer of this
petition. Read and accepted.

Lawrence

Haskell

Petition of A. & A. Lawrence & others
in behalf of Thomas Haskell, that he may
be permitted to stand with his hand
fast in Market street road & committed
to Aldermen Child and Doer;

Vegetable
Market

The committee who were directed to
consider the expediency of erecting a Vegetable
Market, in the vicinity of Faneuil Hall —
reported, that said Vegetable market be built
according to a plan submitted, and that \$
15,000 be appropriated for that purpose.
Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence. ~~Committee?~~

Page

The committee on the petition of Calvin
Page & others to have Garden street paved, was
discharged, and the same be committed to
Aldermen Osborne & Benjamin.

Lewis

The committee on the petition of Ara
Lewis reported, as their opinion that the sum
of money formerly now allowed by the City &
granted to the several Engine Companies is a
reasonable compensation for their services. —
Read and accepted, and ordered, that the
petitioners have leave to withdraw their
petition.

Primary
Schools

Orders of the Common Council, providing
instruction for children between four & ten years
of age be and they hereby are authorized to
increase the number of members of the Committee
as constituted by the School Committee at
any time by such addition as to them may
seem good, making returns of such increase
to said School Committee. Came up for
Concurrence. Read & concurred.

Reconsidered & non concurred. Veto proceedings July 29.

Belknap & Olive
Summer and
Bowdoin
Streets

Voted, That Aldermen ~~Kearney and~~
Odiorne and Benjamin, be a committee,
with authority to employ a surveyor to
take the ^{time} level and descent of Belknap, Olive
Summer & Bowdoin streets, and that they
also be directed to consider the expediency
of taking down the State House fence &
making estimates of the cost of the same.

Lyman

Petition of George W. Lyman, relative to
the level of Belknap Summer streets Read
& committed to the last named Committee
to consider and report.

Gaol

Voted, That Alderman Odiorne be added to the Committee on the Gaol,

Federal Street

Voted, That the Committee on that ~~street~~ ^{district} be authorized to lease a piece of land in front of the Theatre in Federal street.

Welles

Voted, That the Mayor apply to Arnold Welles, Esq. to reduce his estate in School Street, according to his agreement.

Stops

Voted, That the Committee of the respective districts be authorized, whenever they deem any stops, projecting into the streets to be neither safe & convenient to notify the proprietors thereof, and to attempt to compromise for the removal thereof, if the proprietors are in the opinion of such Committee, reasonable in their demands, that they be authorized, forthwith to proceed to settle with them provided the same does not exceed fifty dollars - But if it the demand exceed that sum, or if they refuse, all compromise, that the Committee be directed to report the circumstances to the board.

Churches on Sunday

Voted, That the Mayor be authorized to employ a Constable to be ~~employed~~ ^{employed} in the neighbourhood of any Church on Sundays when he may be asked to clear the side walks.

Callender

Voted, That the Mayor and Aldermen Hooper be a committee to consider the subject of the petition of John Callender, concerning Oliver street who are to enquire whether the City are bound to pay for digging down said street.

Dickson

The Committee on the subject of the report of the surveyors of highways - reported that the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to Mr. Dickson when he shall make, execute & deliver to the City a deed of the land taken into the street. Read and accepted - and the Mayor is authorized to pay the money when the deed is executed.

Trucks, Carts
do

Return, of the Trucks, Carts and Horses - Committed to the Committee on that subject.

Adjourned to Monday next 4th Oct
Jm. Attest
C. J. McCleary, City Clerk

Monday June 30. 1823.

Present - The whole board except Aldermen
Patterson, ~~and~~ ~~Edgely~~.

Jones

Petition of Thomas W. Jones & others, to
have Milk Street altered, to Adams Street
Read & committed to the committee on the
Pet. of Thomas W. Jones & others, to have
Adams Street annexed to Kilby Street -
Report of the committee on the Pet.
aforesaid - Read & accepted.

Jones

Report of the committee on the
Pet. of Thomas W. Jones & others, to have
Adams Street annexed to Kilby Street.
Report of the committee read & accepted.

Milk street
Drain

Report of the committee on the
subject of a drain in Milk Street -
Report read & accepted - recommended
to the same committee to see the work
executed -

Williams

Complaint against Boardman Will^{ing}
for selling unwholesome meat in the Market
Read & committed to the Mayor & Aldermen
Ordinary, to consider & report.

Ingers

Lists of Ingers of the several Wards as
Proposed, by the Mayor & Aldermen Read &
accepted - Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Sanford

No objection being made to the
Petition of Samuel Sanford, to open &
repair the drain or common sewer,
in Jarvis' Row - notice having been
ordered, for all persons interested to appear
at this time - The prayer thereof
granted.

Holden

Petition of Joshua Holden Sothers
Read & to have the lands pastured on
the Mark lands supplied with water
Read & committed to the committee
on the Mark lands.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Phillips
Hay weigher's
account.

Samuel Phillips Hay weigher's ac-
count read and committed to Alderman
Dove -

Law Library
Room

Mr. Parker's letter relative to
painting the Law Library room - Read
& committed to Alderman Benjamin

Dogs

An order respecting the going at
large of Dogs - Read and passed to be
enrolled - Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred with amendments.
Read & concurred.

Dues

Petition of Joshua Davis to take
up dirt in Orange street in front of his
house & lands. Read & the prayer thereof granted
provided the same be not carried out
of the City.

Munson

Order of the Common Council, com-
mitting the petition of Israel Munson to
have a well and an engine near Mr.
Hill, read to Messrs S. Williams, Page
& Baldwin, with such as the board of
Aldermen might join, to consider & report.
Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred
& Aldermen Child & Dorr are joined.

Wheeler

Report of the committee on the petition of
Heuben Wheeler for an Inholder's license - That
he have such license when he shall procure a
stable. Read & accepted.

Dutton

Petition of Warren Dutton in
behalf of the Proprietors of Charles river
bridge to have same rebuilt repaired.
Read & committed to the Committee
on that section viz: Aldermen Eddy &
Patterson.

2nd Church

Report of the Committee on the Note
of the Committee of the second Church relative
to building their Meeting House. Read & accepted.

Paving in
Wards No. 4,
8 & 9.

The Committee on section including
Wards No. 4, 8 & 9 made an estimate
of the paving necessary to be done in
these sections. Read & ordered to be done by S.
Cant.

Nuisances

Ordered, that the City Marshal
report relative to nuisances in the
streets - be referred to the Mayor
Aldermen Osborne and Child to
consider & report.

Drains

Ordered, that so much of the City
Marshal's report, as relates to the
subject of drains - be referred to the
Mayor - Aldermen Patterson, Benjamin
Child, to consider & report.

Bloppon
street

Ordered, That so much of the City
Marshalls report relative to a pit dug
in Bloppon street - and houses & stable,
without claim be referred to the
Mayor, - Also the subject of the
side walks.

Faneuil
Hall

Ordered, That four Constables be
detailed, to attend at Faneuil Hall
on the 4th of July next.

Tombs

Ordered, That the joint Committee ap-
pointed on the Petition of the Methodist Episcopal
Society be directed to consider the expediency of
prohibiting or limiting the erecting of any new
Cemeteries or tombs within the precincts of the City.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Munson

Order of the Common Council committing
the Petition of Israel Munson, Father, for a bell and
Engine on or near Fort hill - to Messrs E. Williams,
Page & Baldwin with such as the board of Aldermen
might join, to consider & report. Came up for concurrence
Read & concurred, & Aldermen Child & Dorr are
joined.

Adjourned to Wednesday next 4 o'clock M.
Attest, (J. M. Cleary, City Clerk)

Wednesday July 2^d. 1823.
Present the whole board.

Dame,

Petition of Levi Dame, Vethers to repair
a pump ~~the~~ in Well street - Read and
Committed to the Mayor to consider &
report.

English

Thomas English licensed as an Auctioneer
and his bond approved.

Carts and
Carriages

The Mayor was appointed a
Committee to confer with such com-
mittee as may be appointed on the
part of the Common Council, relative to the
subject matter of difference between the
two boards - Sent down for concurrence
on the order regulating Carts & Carriages in
the Market - Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred & Mr. E. Williams was
appointed on the part of the Common
Council.

Streets.

Voted, that the Committee on Wards
No 4. 8 & 9 be authorized to repair
the several streets in their Section agreeable
to their schedule exhibited.

Clerk of the Market read and referred to Aldermen Baxter and Child, to consider.

City Treasurer's bond, with securities viz: Wm Borden and William Barnard - approved. -

Salaries An Order to provide compensation for the Mayor and other City Officers - Read and passed to be enrolled in the Concurrence with the Common Council. -

Gaol, Ordered, That the Aldermen Dorr, Benjamin & Eddy, be a committee to examine the State of the Gaol. -

Dormison Ordered, That Aldermen Osborn and Benjamin be a Committee to examine the ~~street~~ buildings in Winter ^{street}, belonging to Wm Dormison Esq. and to run the line of said street where his buildings shall be removed for the purpose of building.

Contracts Ordered, That the Mayor be authorized to advertise after consulting the members of board for all contracts exceeding \$200.

Gould

Petition of Thomas Gould to purchase
a piece of land on Mill Pond road and
committed to Aldermen Patterson and Eddy
with such as the Common Council may
join to consider and report. Sent down
for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the
Common Council joined on its part M^{rs}: E.
Williams, Curtis & Dexter.

Watson

Petition of John Watson, to ^{leave} purchase
a piece of land on Merrimack ^{Street} - read and
committed to Aldermen Patterson & Eddy
with such as the Common Council may
join to consider and report. Sent down for
concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Comm.
Council joined on its part M^{rs}: E. Williams,
Curtis & Dexter.

Deer Island

Order of the Common Council appointing
M^{rs}: E. Williams, Curtis, Stoddard & Brooks
with such as the Common Council might join
a committee to inquire and report on the
expediency of making any repairs to the House
on Deer Island. Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred and Aldermen Child,
Patterson and Eddy.

Iron Hill
shut
Capps Hill

Voted, That ~~the~~ Mayor Aldermen
Patterson and Eddy, be a committee to consider
and report what repairs are necessary to Iron
Hill street in the neighbourhood of Capps
Hill.

Paving

Voted, That the several Sectional
Committees be enjoined to report at the
next meeting ~~some~~ estimates of ~~the~~ the paving
necessary to be done, and the cost of
paving and gravelling.

Hastings

Reuben Hastings account read &
committed to Aldermen Child & Benjamin
to consider & report, who reported that y^e amt. be
allowed - Read & accepted, bal. den \$47.03.

Twelve

Order of the Common Council directing
the petition of Isaac Twible, Petitioner, for a Gun
house for Daniel Boardman, Petitioner. Inhabitants
of Ward No 3 for a convenient place to hold
their ward meetings, referred by the last to
the present ^{City} Council be committed to the com-
mittee who have under consideration the
petition of John D. Williams, Petitioner, Inhabitants
of Ward No 12, to consider & report thereon.

Came up for concurrence.
Read and concurred.

Sones

Petition of Thomas W. Jones to
take dirt from the streets for his
own use. Read & the prayer
thereof not granted.

Water sheet
slip

Voted, that Aldermen Patterson &
Eddy be a Committee to cause repairs to
be made to the Slip at the bottom of
Water Sheet, by erecting a stone wall
across the same.

Hayweigher's
account

The Committee upon the accounts
of Samuel Phillips, Hayweigher reported
that the same be allowed deducting \$26.
therefrom - Read and accepted, and the
balance \$24.20 ordered to be paid into the
Treasury.

Licenses -

Voted, that all licenses for Imbottlers,
Retailers, Confectioners and Vintners be
renewed ~~where~~ and granted to the several
persons who were licensed the last year
~~except~~ where there has ^{been} no complaint ~~made~~
~~made~~, and that the City Clerk take
bonds and grant such licenses upon
convening the Mayor.

Primary
Schools

The order respecting adding to the ^{number of the} Committee
on Primary Schools passed on 25th ultimo read
again and the board reconsider their former
vote and now concur with the Common-
Council.

Sutherland

The Committee to whom was referred
the remonstrance of George Sutherland, Father,
against digging a well in Friend Street,
reported, That the report of the former com-
mittee be confirmed granting liberty to dig a
Well; with this proviso, That the Pet^rs do
cover a^d well with stone & replace the paving
over the same section, keep it in complete
repair and a^d Pet^rs shall allow the owners
of a^d Remonstrance or any of them to take a
section from a^d well free of expense if by
reason of digging the same, it shall have
drawn the water from any of their Wells.
Read and accepted.

Shepard

Petition of Preston Shepard for an Ambodry
License - read & committed to Alderman Dove to
consider & report.

Bordman

Petition of J. F. Bordman, Grocer, to
have Bray's wharf called Brooks Street -
Read & committed to Alderman Child & Dorr
to consider and report.

Quarantine

Ships

Order of the Common Council ap-
pointing Messrs Silby, Russell, Dexter, Winslow,
Bullard, Savage, J. W. Williams, Swift & E.
Williams, with such as the board of Aldermen
might join, a committee to consider what regu-
lations are necessary relative to the quarantine
of vessels, and to consider the subject of
Health regulations generally, & report. Same
up for concurrence. Read & concurred and
ordered the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter,
Pierce, Childs, and Eddy are joined.

Dogs

Ordered, That the Mayor be a com-
mittee to confer with such ^{Committee} as the Common
Council may join, on its part, relative to the
subject matter of difference between the two
boards on the fourth section proposed by said
Council to the order respecting the going at
large of Dogs. Sent down for concurrence
Reconsidered and the board reconsider their
former vote - and concurred in the proposed
amendments.

Adjourns to Monday next at 10 o'clock PM
Attest, J. M. O'Leary, City Clerk

Special Meeting.

July 4th 1823.

Present - The whole board;

Meriam's
and

Ordered, That Aldermen Prater & Dorr be a committee to examine into Nathl. Meriam's accounts - the former Clerk of the Market, and to report what ought to be done in relation to the same.

Dutton
and street

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Warren Dutton in behalf of Charles river bridge, proprietors reported, that said street be paved from the corner of Bulfinch barn to Stillman street, thirty feet wide, that the remainder of said street the committee are of opinion will require about 1000 loads of coarse gravel to put the same in good repair. They calculate there will be 1262 yards of paving work will cost about \$757, & probably about 50 loads of gravel will be required to crown the street.

Read and accepted

Adjourned to Monday next 1/2 o'clock, p.m. Attest

S. M. May, City Clerk

Monday July 7. 1823.

Present - The whole board

State House
The Mayor's letter to His Excellency the Governor, relative to the State House wall and Summer street, read and committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne, & Benjamin

Belknap, Oliver
Ordered, That the Mayor be added to the Summer & Bowdoin Committee on the subject of taking the level of Belknap, Oliver, Summer & Bowdoin streets, appointed on the 25th ultimo.

Blossom street
Luther Ellis' letter relative to Blossom street, read and committed to the Mayor and Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider and report.

Aqueduct Corp^{rs}
Ordered, That the subject of the Aqueduct Corporation, be referred to the Mayor & Aldermen Hooper, to consider and report.

President pro tem.
Col. Swett came up with a message to inform the board of Aldermen, that the Common Council had made choice of the Hon. Benjamin Russell, their president pro tem.

Brooklyne,
Cambridge &
Boston line

Order of the Common Council authorizing
the Mayor & Aldermen ~~to~~ on the part of this
City to meet & confer with a committee ap-
pointed, or to be appointed by the towns of
Brooklyne, Cambridge, to fix and determine upon
the boundary lines between this City said towns
(and in case of disagreement with such com-
mittees to agree upon submitting the question
to referees to be mutually chosen to erect suitable
monuments on said boundary lines. The cause the
description thereof with the agreements to be duly
recorded.

Came up for concurrence
Read and concurred.

Winter street

The Committee are discharged from any
further consideration the subject of widening
Winter street in front of Judge Dominick's land
at his request.

Streets -
Drains

The Committee on the subject of Superinten-
dence of Streets, for altering, improving & repairing
them reported, that an agent or ~~superintendent~~
assistant be employed for said purpose to be
under the direction of the district Committee, but
subordinate to this Board both as relates to side
walks & gutters be effected, than by the labors
of distinct & separate committees.

Read & accepted.

Munro

An Enrolled order relation to drains
and common sewers - passed.

Salaries

An Enrolled order to provide compen-
sation for the Mayor & other City Officers
passed.

Dogs

An enrolled order respecting the
going at large of Dogs - passed.

Munson

The committee to whom was referred
the Petition of Israel Munson & others,
for a bell & engine on or near Fort
Hill - Reported. That the Mayor &
Aldermen promise an engine, as soon as
may be, & place the same in the vicinity
of Fort Hill? Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Carried up concurred.

Williams

Boardman Williams, occupant of
Stall No. 12 West of Faneuil Hall
Market having been convicted of selling
unwholesome pork - Ordered. That said
Williams be deprived of the use of said
Stall, and that he ~~be~~ ^{shall} ~~not~~ ^{not} be per-
mitted to use or hire a stall

or have I occupy any stand in either
of the public markets of the City, or in
any of the streets leading thereto for
the purpose of offering for sale - any article
of provisions usually sold in market, for
the term of one year from & after such
conviction - by virtue of a by-law passed
June 9. 1813. -

Rogers

The Committee to whom was referred
the Petition of Daniel D. Rogers, to purchase a
piece of land on Berne street - reported, that it
will not be for the interest of the City to
sell or dispose of said land, or any part of
it at present - Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Mowing

Pr. No 1.

Made 1.2.43

Report of the Committee on dis-
trict No 1. including Wards No 1, 2, 3. -
~~made a report~~ of the quantity of mowing in
each street in said district, the present
season - Read & filed.

Order 14 July

Order of the Common Council, re-
questing the Mayor & Aldermen to present the
thanks of the City of New York to Charles P.
Curtis

Center, Esq. for the elegant & spirited oration
delivered by him on the 4th instant at the
request of the City upon the anniversary
of American Independence; and to request
of him a copy for the press.

Ordered, That the Mayor and
Aldermen be requested to appoint a
suitable Gentleman to deliver an oration
on the next anniversary of American
Independence wherein shall be contained
the manners, feelings & principles which
led to that auspicious event. Came up
for concurrence. Read & concurred, & the
Mayor & Alderman Hooper were appointed
a committee to carry the foregoing vote
into effect. —

Crombie

Petition of Benjamin Crombie, pray
to purchase a piece of land on the southern
side of Dorne street. Read and committed
to the Committee on that district w^{ch} Alder-
men Odium & Benjamin and Alderman White
is added.

Hill

The Committee upon the subject
voted, That Aldermen Baxter, Odium,
Dorr, and Benjamin, be a committee to
examine that part of the City called the
"Hill".

Bradstreet

Voted, That the application of Dudley Bradstreet, for an Innholders license in Washington Garden, be committed to the Mayor Aldermen Benjamin and Eddy.

Larkin

Mrs Larkin Junr's application for an Innholders license read & committed to Aldermen Patterson.

Montgomery

Sarah Montgomery's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen O'Brien & Benjamin.

Cullin

James Cullin's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen Wapster & Cooper.

Keith

Nathaniel Keith's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Brown

Louis Brown's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr.

Sawyer

Luke Sawyer's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen O'Brien & Benjamin.

Watkins

Lewis Watkins' application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr.

Gray

Henry George's application for a victualler, license read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Chase

Ebenezer Chase and Henry Lincoln
learned as Virtualles. —

Scribner

James Scribner's application for a
virtualles ^{him} read and not granted.

Adjourned to Monday next 4
o'clock P.M. Attest.
J. M. Cleary, City Clk.

Special meeting.

Wednesday July 9. 1823.

Present - The Mayor - Aldermen -
Odiorne, Dorr, Benjamin & Hooper.

Wells
&
Pumps

An order for the repair and
keeping in order of Wells and Pumps
came up from the Common Council,
passed in concurrence with the board
of Aldermen to be enrolled with
amendments. Read & concurred.

Adjourned to Thursday next 4th Clock
Mm. Attend,
S. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Thursday July 10th 1823.

Present the whole board.

Stall No. 12
Market

Voted, That the Clerk of the Town Council be authorized to lease ^{Stall No. 12} until
the next in the best manner he can.

Watchmen

Voted, That until the further order
of this board, James Morgan, Captain of
the watch be hereby authorized to accept
the voluntary services of any citizens to aid
in keeping a watch in Cornhill, Marlboro's
Street, & Newbury street, & that he consult
with Thomas G. Atkins, of Marlborough
street in relation to the proceedings to be
had, & the management of said Watch

James Morgan,

Upon the representation of James
Morgan, ^{Captain of the Watch} against George James, Constable
of the Watch, for negligence. Voted, that
said ^{George} James be discharged, and that the
Captain of the Watch discharge him
unconditionally.

Allison

Voted, That William D. Allison
^{Constable of the Watch} be discharged from the Watch, and that
Allison be discharged by the Captain au-
thorizing by —

Vare

Representation of Isaac Vare giving
the amount of cost of a lamp now sus-
pended in Town Hall, and offering to
sell the same to the City for less than
the cost - Read & committed to Aldermen
Osborne & Childs to consider & report.

Darrow

Application of Aaron L. Darrow to have
a truck stand in Fore Street - Read and
not accepted.

Deer Island

The Committee appointed to make
inquiry and report on the expediency of
making repairs on the House, on Deer Island
Reported, that a committee ~~also~~ be authorized
to take down the Old part of the House
on Deer Island, and have a new House
erected, with a good cellar under the
same, and also to make all necessary
repairs on the other buildings. Read &
accepted. Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Newbury

Voted, that the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter
& Eddy be a committee to make a final settle-
ment with William Newbury of Deer Island.

Witwepes stand

Joseph Hall Esq. Sheriff of Suffolk
Communication that two stands for Witwepes
may be ~~made~~^{furnished} for the Municipal Court
Road & committed to Aldermen Odium
& Benjamin to consider & report. —

Parker

Abraham Moores Esq.^r communication
relative to an Intelligence Office kept by
John M. Parker — read & committed to
the Mayor.

Hall

Petition of Jacob Hall, & others that
the street leading from prime street to the
Mill pond lands, formerly known as a
part of Snow Hill street — Read and
committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson
to consider & report. —

Smith

Petition of Ebenezer Smith relative
to altering the terms of the lease of two
lots of land part of the Mill pond land
to him the last year. Read and the
Mayor thereof not granted.

Gael

Communication of the board of accounts
relative to the state of the Gael road and
committed to Aldermen Odium and
Benjamin, to consider & report.

Bluxome

Joseph Bluxome Junr.'s communication
relative to a small street facing the Hospital
in North Allen street - That a lamp may be
placed in said street. Read & committed to
Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider
and report.

Society relief
of the
distressed

A Communication of G. Ash Gamage, P.
J. P. DeGrand & John Pettick 3^d a committee
of a Society for the relief of the distressed -
relative to the state of the prisoners confined
in Gaol for debt - Read & committed to
the Committee on the Prison, and ordered,
That Aldermen Odiorne, Child & Benjamin
be added to said Committee, to consider &
Report.

President pro
tem.

M^r. E. Williams came up with a message
from the Common Council to inform the board of
Aldermen that they have made choice of Jonathan
Davis, Esq. President pro tem.

Horses & Carriages

in
Market

An enrolled order for the better
regulating horses & carriages in the Market.
Passed.

Wells & Pumps

An enrolled order for the repair and
keeping in order Wells and Pumps. Passed.

Well street

Resolved. That Aldermen Odiorne, Child, Ben-
jamin & Dorr, be a committee to put the Wells
and Pumps in Well street in order, & keep the cuts
according to law.

Hammann

Petition of W^m C. Hammann to sell an
Engine to the City - read & committed to Alder-
men Child & Dorn to consider & report

Coolidge

Application of Cornelius Coolidge, that
a committee may be appointed, to run the
line of Court street to the corner of
Bulfinch street, as far as the West wall
of Dr. Spooner's house - read & committed to
Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider &
report.

Dock square
Well

The committee on the subject of digging a
well in Dock square reported, that the same
was accomplished.

Truckmen

Voted, that Alderman Child be ap-
pointed on the committee on the truckmen
^{the above}
~~instead~~ of Aldermen Benjamin, —

Hill

Petition of Samuel Hill, read to open a
drain in Bulfinch street read & committed to
Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to do as they
may think fit. —

Deer Island

Order of the Common Council appointing
E. Williams, Curtis, Stodder & Brooks with such as the
board of Aldermen might join, a committee to take down
the old part of the House on Deer Island, to have a new
house erected with a good cellar under the same, & also
make all necessary repairs on the other buildings. Res.
& concurred & Aldermen Child, Patterson and Eddy
joined.

Ephraim Whitney, Auctioneer bond approved.

Dudley Bradstreet's application for a virtualles
licence Washington Gardens - not granted.

Luke Sawyer's application for a virtualles licence
in Leverett Street - not granted.

Preston Shepard's application for an Innholders
licence Bromfield's Lane - granted.

Adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock

Mm.

Met.

C. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

July 12th 1823. William Mackay, Esq.
City Treasurer filed his bond, and took the
oath required by law - Before me,

Samuel M. Cleary, Just. Peace

Monday July 14th 1823.

Present - The whole board.

Vose

The committee on the Petition of Isaac Vose relative to a drain in Orange Street - reported that it is inexpedient to attend to the prayer of the Petition. Read & accepted.

Gleason

Abel Gleason's application for an Innholders License read & committed to Alderman Child & Dove, to consider & report.

Drains

Voted: That the following principals be adopted to regulate the drains of this City until the further order of this board.

1st The general Superintendent of drains, shall be under the ~~the~~ direction of the Committee of the district - subject to the vote of this board.

2. The duty of the Superintendent of drains shall be to superintend the opening of all drains, sewers, conforming the terms of the law concerning drains, and to the several directions of the Committee of the district.

3. All permits shall be delivered by the Clerk to the Superintendent of drains whose duty it shall be to see that they are

executed according to the terms of such permit.

No private drain from any pump, or ^{Cistern} sink shall be permitted by the superintendent to enter the common sewer unless it runs through a cist-pool —

The Condition of the permits shall express that the owner shall open and complete the drain in conformity with the directions & to the satisfaction of the superintendent of drains, & shall employ no powers not approved by him and shall leave the street in good order making all repairs necessary in consequence of said opening.

Superintendent of
drains

Nelson Hastings was nominated and appointed Superintendent of drains

Dennis

Petition of Thomas Dennis to have chambers street paved — read & committed Aldermen Bolles & Haysman to consider Report.

Fire works

Voted, that the Mayor be authorized to pay the contractor of the fire works two hundred & fifty dollars —

Bluame

The Committee upon the application of Joseph Bluame Jun^r for a lamp north Allen street. reported that on examination that no one would be benefited by a compliance therewith but the petitioners therefore it is inexpedient. Read and accepted.

Skinner
new bridge

Order of Notice on the petition of Eden Skinner & others for a new bridge from Charleston to Boston - read & committed to Aldermen Odierne Benjamin & Hooper, to consider and report.

Hall

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Jacob Hall, & others relative to widening the paper way leading from Main street to Chatfield street, commonly called Mill Lane, are of opinion that some ought to be made order, and that a committee be appointed to carry said report into effect. Read & accepted, and ordered that the whole board be a committee to carry the same into effect.

Allison

Application of W^m D. Allison to be re-instated Constable of the Watch ~~read~~ com? to the Mayor and Alderman Patterson.

Waywigher

Samuel Phillips Waywigher's account
read & committed to Alderman Dove

Licenses

The following applications for virtualles
licenses read & committed to Aldermen Child
and Dove to consider & report, viz: Ambrose
Samuel B. Buttrick - Charles Lane, Dant. Pitom
Ezekiel Shattuck - Patrick Riley - John Tilden
J. Mulay Gooden -

Winthie Townsends application for a
Virtualles' license read & committed to Alderm
Wester & Porter, to consider & report.

The following applications for virtualles
licenses read & committed to Aldermen Brown
& Benjamin, to consider & report, Charles Flint
Matthias Daniels.

The following applications for virtualles
licenses read & committed to Aldermen Eddy
& Patterson, to consider & report Wm Thomas Jr.
and Ann Joy.

The following Virtualles licenses granted
viz: William Stickney; John W. Alderman, Jr.,
Joseph W. Taylor - Lewis Bannock; Dexter
Babcock -

Samuel S. Miles - retailer - granted
Solomon Wilde - gunholder - granted
Relief Daves - Confectioner - granted

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Paul Smith licensed as an Auctioneer
No 13 Union Street - his bondsmen ap-
proved.

Luke Sawyer's application for a
Wholesale license not granted -

Henry George - not granted, Sarah
Montgomery - not granted - Herben Holden
not granted - Daniel Watkins - not granted
John Larkin Esq. for an Innholder's
license not granted.

Adjourned to Thursday next 4th Clock P.M.

Attest

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Thursday ~~Mar~~ July 17. 1823.
Present. The whole board.

Capwell

John F. Capwell for a renewal of his
license as an innholder referred to Aldermen
Baxter & Hooper.

Alline
Regt.

Petition of Henry Alline, Register
of deeds for additions to his office near
Spreng to Alderman Odiorne

Voted, That the Register purchase
set of the laws for the use of his Office

Tull

Petition of Nathan Tull to have the
tax on his lot remitted on account of
poverty. Read and the prayer thereof
granted.

Brooks

Report of the committee on the
Petition of Noah Brooks, Lethers, for an
Engine at South Boston, that the ap-
plication be granted when the Inhabitants
of South Boston shall have provided a
place and a house to keep it in, at
own expense. Read and accepted.

Marsh

~~Letter~~
~~Petition~~ of Ephraim Marsh of ~~relation~~
~~to~~ ~~former~~ late Surveyor of Highways.
read & committed to Aldermen Baxter,
Dorr, ^{Benjamin} and Eddy, who are authorized
to consider and report what compensation
he ought to have for his services as
Surveyor of highways.

Drains

~~Resolved~~ That the subject of Super-
intendent of drains &c. be committed
to Aldermen Baxter ^{Benjamin} and Dorr, & Eddy,
to consider and report.

Well

~~Resolved~~ That the costs of the expense
of digging a well in the market
read and committed to the last named
Committee to consider & report who
are also authorized to report what
compensation Mr. Ephraim Marsh ought
to have for his services. —

Marshall
list of
licensed Drains

~~Resolved~~ That the City Marshall
be furnished with a list of licensed
houses, and that all persons who have
not been licensed be required to take
down their signs and notified not to sell
spirits. —

Bradford
Washington Infantry of the John R. Bradford, & others, Officers of the
Washington Infantry, for a room for an
Armory in Faneuil Hall - ~~Rep~~ That the room
now filled with old lumber in the south
east corner of Faneuil Hall - be granted to a
Company and that the necessary repairs be
made in the same for that purpose. Also
that the roof of said Hall requires repairs
immediately to be made, & that the state of the
other rooms in said Hall, excepting the
condition of the roof before mentioned, is not
such as to require any present repairs.

Report read & accepted, and Aldermen
Benjamin & Hooper were appointed a com-
mittee who are authorized to make as
much repairs as was done by the town
of Boston, for upon the room appropriated
for the use of the New England Guards

Watch House
Jan^{ry} 1855

Representation of James Morgan Captain
the Watch, relative to the Watch House at the
South end, committed to ^{the Mayor} Aldermen Buxton,
Dorr, Child, and Eddy.

Drains

Voted, That the subject of making drains
upon the flats in the unity basin, be committed
to the Mayor Aldermen, Napier and Cooper,
to consider and report.

Smith

Cloninger Smith's proposition relative to
the bases of land formerly part of the Mills
pond, read and committed to Alderman
Natherson, to consider and report.

Horses and
carriages in
market

An order for the better regulating
Horses and carriages in the ^{Fountain Hall} Market.
passed.

For

Isaac Vais bill for a lamp for Faneuil
Hall for \$200 allowed.

Goal

The Committee to whom was referred
the ~~business~~ of representation of the board of
accounts relative to the state of the Goal,
reported, that they had so far attended to
the subject as to order the necessary ar-
rangements to be made. Read and accepted.

Shuff Hall

The Committee on the representation of
Joseph Hall Esq Sheriff of Suffolk relative to
stands for witnesses in the City Court House,
reported - that they have ordered the
stands to be forthwith coming. Read and
accepted. -

Licenses

The following persons were licensed as
 Vintners viz: Samuel B. Buttrick;
 John Tilden; Amos Goodno;
 Charles Lane; Abel Gleason;
 Charles Flint; Isaac D. Richards;
 Walter Jones; Edward White;
 Joseph Mann; John L. Buttrick;
 Judith Carr; Saml. A. Stearns;
 Laboz W. Parsons; Daniel M. Bailey;
 Hawkes Lincoln Junr; Nathaniel Daniels;
 Timothy Townsend and Richard Day.

William Crombie and Frederick
 Bonillard were licensed as Innholders.

The following persons' applications
 for licenses as vintners were not granted
 viz: John Johnson; Michael Ryan;
 Thomas Yonge; Ezekiel Shattuck;
 James Cullen; John Carroll;
 Patrick Riley;

Jane Mills. Vintner committed
 to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

David Williams - Vintner committed
 to Aldermen Brown & Benson.

Lenses

Jonathan J. Kendall. Vintaller - Wm
A. Mendell - Ironholder - Patrick McNamee
Ironholder - Joseph Lewis - Ironholder - James Ryan
Vintaller - Edward Merrigan - Vintaller
read & committed to Aldermen Child &
Dorr

Poplar Street

Nathaniel Commons and others to have
Poplar Street repaired, read & committed
to Aldermen Strome & Benjamin, to consider
and report.

Coolidge

The committee upon the application
of Cornelius Coolidge to have 'Locust street
widened near Bowdoin square, reported, that
it is inexpedient to purchase any of the
land above mentioned. Read & accepted.

Trucker

With St

Remonstrance of Richard D. Trucker
and others against the alteration of With
Street to a ^{street} dam, read - and committed
to the Committee on that subject.

Commissioner of
Health
Was not.

Samuel F. Coolidge was nominated &
appointed a commissioner of Health for Ward
No. 6, in the room of Jonathan Loring resigned
Adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock
P.M. Attest J. M. C. Esq. Sec. of the

Monday July 21st 1823.

Present - The whole board -

Hartt

Joseph Hartt's petition relative to widening Ship-street - read and committed to Aldermen the Mayor and Alderman Eddy, to consider & report.

Allin

The Committee on the petition of Henry Allin, that one of his desks be covered - and two cases to contain books of record - and six chairs for the use of his office - reported that the prayer of the petition be granted. Read & accepted, and ordered that the same Committee be authorized to procure the several articles prayed for.

Milk street

Resolved, That the subject of alteration of Milk street to Adams street, be indefinitely postponed.

Jones -

Resolved, That the petition presented on the name of Thomas W. Jones & others, to have Kilby shed extended to include Adams street and that the whole be called Kilby shed be postponed.

Gordman

The Committee upon the Petition of Joseph F. Gordman, Voters to have the street which they occupy called Brooks street reported, that the street is not worthy the name of Brooks, for that reason consider it inexpedient to grant the same. Read & accepted.

McNamara

Petition of John McNamara Voters, relative to Pump & Well in Wells street, read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Child, & Dove, to consider & report.

Trott

Petition of George Trott, Voters relative to Wood Carts read & committed to the Mayor to consider & report.

Bellknapp

Petition of John Bellknapp, Voters, relative to paving Lincoln street read & committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooker to consider & report.

Murray

Constable Watch

Thomas Murray was nominated and appointed Constable of the Watch.

Bridge Thacher

Bridge Thacher's communication relative to the noise in the City Court House read and committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

Mall & Com:

~~Resolved~~ Voted, That the Committee on the Mall & Common, have authority to dig a well in the neighbourhood of the Hay scale & put therein a pump.

Phillips Hay
weigher

~~Resolved~~ Voted, That Aldermen Dorr & Hoop be a committee to inquire into the agreement made with Samuel Phillips, Hay weigher, and reports.

Pavers

~~Resolved~~ Voted, That the Committee of the several Districts employ such pavers as they may think fit, to be approved of by the board not exceeding sixty cents per yard for new paving.

Gravel

Voted, to accept Mills' proposition to deliver gravel at sixteen cents a ton.

Gravel,

Voted, to accept Messrs. Birkner & Bates proposition to deliver gravel as may be wanted, to be landed at any part of the City.

Dindor.

Frederick Dindor's communication relative to a note due the City, read & committed to Alderman Dorr to consider & report.

Meets to be
paved

Voted, to pave the following streets
viz. Front, Columbia, Franklin, Arch,
Chamber, part of Bond, and the further
end of Bank street. —

Hatch

Petition of Oliver Hatch & others, to
have Bond shut & evidence, read and
committed to Aldermen Eddy and
Patterson, to consider & report.

Licenses

The following applications for
licenses read & committed to Aldermen
Borome & Benjamin, to consider & report
viz. Samuel Guild; Jacob Long;
Joshua Bridge; Joseph; Jonathan Wheeler;
Charles Moore; Wm. J. Mantey;

Baker

Timothy M. Baker's application to
be licensed, as an Auctioneer read &
committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr to
consider & report.

Licenses

The following applications for licenses
read & committed to Aldermen Child &
Dorr to consider and report viz.
Samuel Crosby; John Fawcett;
Myal Hunt; Joseph L. Hunt;

French

Ebenezer French - Innholder South St.
Read Committee to Aldermen Master
Hooper, to consider Report.

Licenses

The following applications for license
as Virtualles were not granted viz
Thaddus Dean; Jacob Leonard
Abiah Tarbell; John Mathewson
Jeha Warner; James Young;
James Ryan; Edward Morgan

John B. Callender was licensed as
a retailer.

Sepe Lewis, licensed as an Innholder.

The following persons were licensed
as Virtualles viz:

Jonathan #9. Wendall; Aaron Gray;
Samuel Mills; David Williams;
George Goodridge; Patrick McMorris;
John G. Carver; William A. Mendon

Lincoln

Harshes Lincoln & others relation
persons bathing near the wharf at Mr.
Hill read committed to the Mayor
to consider Report.

Hay weigher's The committee appointed to examine and
account. report upon the accounts of Samuel Phillips Hay
weigher for the quarter ending the first instant
reported, that his account for weighing Hay
and merchandise is right cast, and that there
is a balance due the City of ninety three
dollars & sixty four cents.

Read and accepted.

Phillips

The committee to whom was referred the
adjustment of the account of Samuel Phillips
Hay weigher for the quarter ending July 1. 1823.
reported that said account was rightly cast & well
vouched and that when he shall have paid
into the City Treasury ninety three dollars ^{64/100}
the account will have been balanced.
In as on file. Read & accepted &
Ordered, that said Phillips pay said amount
into the Treasury.

Adjourned to Thursday next 12 o'clock
Min. Attch

J. M. C. S. City Clerk

Thursday July 24th 1823.

Present The whole board

Harris

Petition of Isaac Harris, settler, requesting that Greenough's lane may be widened and committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider and report.

Tufts

Petition of Ephraim Tufts, relative to a piece of land taken to widen Pearl street and committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Rice

Petition of Henry Rice to have a new drain in Middlefield street laid down to Aldermen Adams & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Welsh -
& Co.

The City Marshal represents, that Thomas Welsh Junr. is building at the corner of Elm street & Hanover street and that it ought to be attended to. The Committee of that District viz. Aldermen Child and Dorr were charged with the subject and Aldermen Benjamin is added said Committee.

Pomberton
Hill

The City Marshall reports, that the
brick wall Pomberton Hill, and the side
walk opposite require repairs - and the
subject was committed to Aldermen
Odion & Benjamin, to consider

Hayward

Petition of Cyrus Hayward, praying to
be employed, to make blank cartridges read &
committed to Aldermen Eddy & Hooper, to
consider & report.

Marsh

Ephraim Marsh ~~declines~~ resigns the
Office of Health Commissioner read Jan-
captioned, and Monday next 4 o'clock assigned
to come to a new choir.

Gibson

John Gibson - to be licensed as a
Vintner - read & committed to Aldermen
Odion & Benjamin.

Hyde
Hogreave

Solomon Hyde was appointed as
^{Hayward} Hogreave, and field driver.

Sent down for concurrence -
came up concurred.

Wick
Milk street

Communication from Richard D. Fisher
and John Head Jun. relative to land in
Milk street - read & committed to Alder-
men Child & Dorr to consider & report.

the suitable plan for Ward meetings -
Read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Old South
Singers

The accounts for provision & for
the Singers at the Old South the 4th
July, read & committed to Aldermen Brown
Dorr & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Gambling houses
in
Devonshire st.

Communication relative to gambling
houses in Devonshire street read & referred
to the Mayor.

Leather Carters
of Watch

Thomas Carter was nominated
Appointed Comptroller of the Watch.

Marsh
superintendent of
drains

Resolved, that Ephraim Marsh, Esq.
be Superintendent of drains, and of the
pumps and Wells, and assistant surveyor
of highways, until the further order of
this board, and that his duty shall be
as at large set forth in the report afiled.

Drains

Voted, That all permits for opening and repairing drains be delivered to the Superintendent.

Amory - drain
Newbury st

The City Marshall reports that the Common sewer in Newbury street into which John Amory has permission to enter a drain is found to be closed so that no paper is left for the waste water of the different houses in that vicinity - Read & committed to the Superintendent of drains.

Tudor's note

Voted, That the ^{City} Treasurer be authorized to take a note of Frederick Tudor for his note due first of August next, signed by himself and William Tudor, jointly & severally payable in four months ^{with} ~~and~~ interest.

Lynde street.

The Mayor reports that the improvements were made in Lynde street and the money paid therefor.

Sergeant -
Spence been

Petition of Hosea Sergeant & others concerning persons selling Spence beer in the street without license - Read & dismissed

Irwin

Petition of Thomas Irwin to be employed on the drains. read and referred to the Superintendent.

Ward No 12

The Committee upon the Petition of Smiddy Inhabitants of Ward No 12 for a new School House, reported, that it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of this petition for the present. Read & accepted.
Sent down for concurrence

Russell Gardner
Lamp

Petition of Russell Gardner to have a lamp lighted in Longp street - read & the prayer thereof granted. —

Licensed houses
South Boston

The subject of Licensed houses at South Boston referred to the Mayor & Alderman Baxter.

Baker

The committee on the application of Timothy M. Baker for an Auctioneers license reported, that it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of said petition. Read & accepted.

Guild

Samuel Guild's petition for a victuallers license recommended.

Licenses not
granted

The following applications for
vital licenses were granted viz
Ara Conant ; William F. Martyn,
~~Martha~~ David Wilson ;
Jonathan Wheeler ; Joseph L. Hunt ;
Jacob Long ;

Licenses granted

The following licenses were granted
John Johnson ; Stockbridge, Abby
Wm F. Martyn ; Myal Hunt ;
John Fawcett ; Sumner Crosby ;
Vitallics - Ebenezer French - Pemberton

Licenses com. 2

The following applications for licenses
for vitallics were read & committed
Aldermen Child, Dorr, to consider and
report viz David M. Doule,
William Fessenden - Pemberton

The following committed to Alder-
men Foster & Cooper viz Rufus Wheeler,
Isabel Harrington ; Samuel Hunt

The following committed to Alder-
men Patterson & Paddy viz John Pease,
John Larkin Int -

The following committed to Aldermen
Isaiah & Benjamin W. L.
Lucius Burnham

Burnham

Stall taken away

Andrew Burnham occupant of Stall
No 5. West end of Faneuil Hall,
Market having been convicted of ^{offering for sale} ~~selling~~
^{staled provisions} unsalubrious ~~food~~. Ordered, That said
Burnham be deprived of the use of said
Stall, and that he be not permitted to
use or hire a stall or house or occupy
any stand in either of the public markets
of the City, or in either of the public
markets of the City, or in any of the
streets leading thereto for the purpose
of offering for sale any article of
provisions usually sold in markets, for
the term of one year from date such
conviction, by virtue of a bye-law passed
June 9. 1843.

Adjourned to Monday next 4th of
Nov. Attest, Wm. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday July 28th 1823.

Present. The whole board.

Baker
p. 82.

The ^{board} reconsider their former vote on the application of Timothy M. Baker, for a license as an Auctioneer, and grant the prayer of said petition.

Fireworks

The subject of the cost of fireworks on the 4th July last, committed to Aldermen Benjamin Patterson & Eddy, to consider & report.

Chanley

Michael Chanley application for a license as a Victualler at South Boston read & committed to the Mayor & Aldermen Baxter.

Eliot

Application of Wm. H. Eliot for leave to take a section from the City's Well in Market square to carry the water to his house in Union street. Read & the prayer thereof ^{was} granted.

Gay

Application of Frederick A. Gay, to have Sheafe street paved. Read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Lincoln

Hawkes Lincoln and Elijah Loving
application to ^{repair} a certain well & pump on
Purshan street near Kuspia Wharf, Read &
committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr.

Auctioneers

The following applications for a renewal
of their licenses as Auctioneers read & committed
to Aldermen Child, Dorr & Eddy to consider
and report Wth. David Abby, James
Kronheim, Theodore Koston, John Brooks, Martin
Clap, Charles Chester, Enos Cobb, P. P. Degrand,
Silas Field, Joseph W. Gerson, Tim^r. Hathaway,
Wm. Hartwell, David Jones, Abr^m. Lansing,
John M. Parker, Benjamin Tucker, Charles
Wells Jun^r, Henry White, Abraham Whitney,
Samuel Wotcott. —

Franklin, Cal.

Hand cartmen

Several petitions of James Franklin & others,
Mehemiah Clap & others, hand cart men read,
and committed to the Mayor, Aldermen
Benjamin, Dorr and Patterson, to consider &
report.

Badger -
Coroner

Thomas Badger's application relative to
fee of inquests - committed to the Mayor to
consider and report.

Overseers of
the Poor

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Pierce, Benjamin and Eddy ^{the a Committee} to meet a
Committee of the Overseers of the Poor to
take into consideration the propriety of
removing a part of the inmates of the
Alms House to the House of Industry at
South Boston.

Woodward

Petition of Joseph Woodward. Petition,
praying for liberty to use the building erected
for a school house ~~and~~ ~~as~~ may be used
for the purpose of performing public works.
Read & committed to ^{the Mayor} Aldermen Foster and
Hooper, to consider & report.

Dealer

Petition of Aaron Dexter, to have
sewer built between Atkinson Street and
Federal Street - Read & committed to Aldermen
Child and Dorr, to consider & report.

Ellis

Communication from Matthias Ellis
relative to disorders on Sundays ~~at~~ near
Hancock's wharf, by swimming &c. Read &
committed to ^{the Mayor} Aldermen Ellis and ~~Child~~
to consider and report.

March - drains
Amuducts

^{Assistant Surveyor of Highways}
Voted, That Mr. Marsh, can all pave-
ments which have sunk in consequence of open-
ing drains and. Agreements to be prepared at
the expense of the several ~~proprietors~~ proprietors.

Parker.

Petition of Isaac Parker, & others to have
Washington street, repaired, read & committed
to the Mayor - Aldermen Baxter & Hooper.

Goodridge's
Alley

Voted, That Aldermen Eddy and
Patterson, take into consideration the
alleged encroachments on Goodridge Alley, near
Salmon & Charter streets.

Arches under
Streets

Voted, That Aldermen Child, Patterson
and Benjamin, be authorized to take
into consideration the subject of the abutments
of estates making arches under the side
walks of the public streets and to report
upon what conditions the same may be
granted.

Ellis
Bloom st.

Letter of Franklin Dexter in behalf of R^{es}
Ellis, concerning Bloom street. Read & referred
to the Mayor, who is ^{authorized} to give notice that
the same was filled up by order of the City.

Tufts

The Committee on the Petition of E. H. Tufts, relative to land taken to widen Pearl Street made a report as on file, which is read & accepted.

Huntington

Petition of Ralph Huntington to purchase a piece of land near the rap-ralls at the bottom of the Common. Read & the Affairer thereof, not granted.

Lavern regulations

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of enjoining upon Innkeepers the propriety of putting up in their bar rooms a copy entitled "Lavern regulations" reported that no interference of the City authorities is needed. Read & accepted.

Tilston & Salem str.

The subject of the building at the corner of Tilston & Salem streets - committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Licenses granted

The following licenses granted, viz. David M. Doyle, Virtually, Reuben Harrington, Virtually; John Larkin, Inn Virtually; Joseph Gibson, Virtually; Samuel Stone, Virtually; Ebenezer Kempf, Virtually within the City Theatre & during the hours of performance. Reuben Wheeler. Innholder -

licenses com?

The following applications for licenses read & committed, as follows viz:

John G. Wyman, Innholder - Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin. John Erskine, Victualler to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson - Amos Upham, Victualler. Joshua Wyman, Innholder and John Hastings, Victualler to Aldermen Child & Dorr.

licenses not granted

The following applications for licenses were not granted - Dudley Bradstreet, Victualler - Lucius Greenham, Victualler. Wm A. Mendell, Innholder - the board advise to their former vote & grant him a Victualler's license only - James Ryan, Victualler -

ground keeper

Thomas Hammond was nominated & appointed ground keeper at South Boston
Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

wharf

Resolved, that the Mayor, Aldermen White and Dorr, be a committee to take into consideration by ^{what} right a authority the proprietors of Boston wharf have set their wharf ~~into~~ ^{the} ^{city} slip, & on the ~~town's~~ ^{city} slip as dock on the north side of their wharf for without paying the city therefor. And the

And the same committee to take into con-
sideration by what authority Daniel Adams -
makes use of a piece of land belonging to the
City on the northeast side of Fort Hill -

Auctioneers

The following persons were licensed
as Auctioneers viz: Samuel L. Abbot;
Henn. P. Andrews; George Bond, Lemuel
Blake, John A. Bacon, Samuel Blodgett,
Stephen Brown, Timothy M. Baker, George E. Channing,
Derastus Lohr, Samuel F. Coolidge, Charles
D. Coolidge, Joseph Cunningham, Thomas Clarke
W. Dehon, George L. Dobbs, Samuel Dano,
Richard Edwards, John Fairfield, Wm. Gidley, Am
Daniel Henry, Samuel Henshaw, Darius Holman,
David Hale, Junr. Thomas H. Jones, Ephraim
Lohr, David Marston, George Noble, Jacob
Peabody, Luther Pinks, Elisha Pinks, Benj
Poor, Merv Rogers, Elephat Rogers, Edward
Rogers, John Roulstone, Frank Stratton,
Benj. Shaver, Augustus Story, John Tyler,
Samuel Whitwell, Junr. Francis Wilby, ~~Ben~~
~~White~~, Ferdinand E. White, Samuel E.
Williams, & Benj. Winslow.

Adjourned to Monday next 12 o'clock
Attest

J. M. Carey, City Clerk

Thursday July 31st 1823.

Present. The whole board.

Harris

Report of the Committee on the petition of Isaac Harris, Father, relative to Macclesfield Lane. Read and accepted, and committed to the Mayor to give notice.

sewers.

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen White and Benjamin, be a committee to take into consideration, and report by whom & in what manner the 'Citizens' shall be taxed, for entering the common sewers with their drains.

Market place

The Mayor's message relative to increasing the Market place. Read and committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Benjamin & Patterson with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up. Concurred, & the Common Council joined in its spirit Messrs E. Williams, Silby, Hodder & Winslow.

Committee of
Military

Voted, That the Mayor & Aldermen Hooper, be a committee to consider & report what principles ought to be applied to the appropriation of the exempt money.

Marsh
Maulboro' R.

Eph^m Marsh assistant Superintendent
Highways - relation to paving in Maulboro
street - Read and voted that it is
inexpedient to proceed at present.

Marsh ant.

Ephraim Marsh's account read and
committed to Aldermen Odiorne and
Benjamin, to consider & report.

Derby
Hanover st.

Elizabeth Derby, communication relat-
ing to building on Hanover street, read & com-
mitted to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to
consider & report.

Merry Jas,
Charter st.

Jonathan Merry & James Washburn's
~~communication~~ petition for a drain or
common sewer in Charter street read
committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson
consider & report.

Humphrey
State street

Benjamin Humphrey communication
relating to paving front of State street
read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr
to consider & report.

Willard

Aaron Willard's petition for leave
to build a drain in Washington street - read and
committed to Aldermen Barker & Hooper
consider & report.

Badger

Thomas Badger, Father, petition for a well to be dug for the accommodation of the inhabitants on & near North Margin Street, read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider & report.

Sears

David Sears' side walk in Elm Street, committed to Aldermen Lebold & Dorr.

Ward in Lane

Voted, that Alderman Baxter be appointed upon the subject of the delivery of gravel on Front Street.

Commissioner of Health

Voted, that Alderman Baxter be appointed to consider & report a proper candidate for Commissioner of Health for Ward No. 12.

Signs to Licensed

Barrels

Voted, that the City Marshal, be instructed, to prosecute all licensed persons who have not signs erected according to law.

Poplar Street

Voted, that the gutters in Poplar Street be provided, upon condition that the shutters lay their side walks.

Coolidge

Remain the

Upon the subject of application of Forest Coolidge, relative to land taken to widen Union Street - The board adhere to their former votes.

Prisons

Communication from the board of accounts read and relation to the State the Prisons read & committed to Alders Odium, Child, Dorr and Benjamin. to consider & report.

Doyle
Columbian Hdy

Museum
License issued
Aug. 1st 1823
for \$5.

William M. S. Doyle: Proprietor the Columbian ^{City} Museum, has had his license extended for the term of three months from the first day of August next, upon paying therefor the sum of five dollars. —

Gray
Shreve Street

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Frederick A. Gray, others, pray that Shreve street might be paved. Report that the said street be paved at the expense of the City, the committee laying their walks six feet in width. — The Committee believing that the other paving heretofore recommended, can be dispensed with to an equal amount in the northern district.

Read & accepted upon the terms above specified.

Goodridge's
Alley

The Committee upon the petition of Goodridge's Alley reported, that no further action be taken of the petition. —

Read & accepted.

Shespe
cartridges

Petition of Henry Shespe praying that
he may be employed to make cartridges
read and committed to the Mayor and
Aldermen Hooper, to consider & report.

Chapel burial
ground

Communication from the Commissioners
of Health relative to building fences in
around the Chapel burial ground, & planting
trees therein, read and committed to the
Mayor Aldermen Dorr & Hooper, with
such as the Common Council may join,
to consider & report. Sent down for con-
sideration. Came up concurred, & the Common
Council joined on its part Messrs. Bullard,
Doxter, Russell, & Mules.

Howard

Petition of John Howard Potter,
relative to the stands of traders, & the
order relation thereof, praying that the
same may be altered. Read & the prayer
thereof not granted.

by Clarke's
account

Clt. Clarke's account read & committed
to Alderman Odiorne, who reported that he has
examined the same & found it correct. Read &
accepted & ordered that the amount thereof
be paid into the City Treasury amounting to
\$1600. 39.

Newbury street

Voted, That Aldermen Baxter & Hooper be a committee to enquire into the facts & report why Shop No 27 Newbury street should not be reduced to its ancient loc in said Newbury street. —

Elm street

Voted, That Aldermen Child & Do be a committee to examine the front of a Shop in Elm street, used by Mr. Motley, & see by what right about a foot & an half of the street is taken into said Shop.

Hamilton

L
Broad street
L
Bangs Alley

Voted, That Aldermen Child & Do be a committee to take into consideration ^{the} propriety of making a drain Hamilton Avenue, Linn's Buildings to be distributed on the abutments. Also ~~that~~ the propriety of making drains from the Buildings in Broad street & the common sewer, examined & enlarged, if necessary. — Also drains in Bangs' Alley, the owners are willing pay for at least two thirds of the expense.

Charles street

Voted, That Aldermen Odorne & Bryman, be a committee to take into consideration ^{the} propriety of making com

sewers in Charles street, and in the streets
north of Mount Vernon, and in May
street - West Centre street, Myrtle street
beaut, and generally the streets in that
quarter.

licenses not
granted

William Fenno's application for
an Innholder's license not granted.

James Ryan's application for a
Vintner's license not granted.

licenses
granted

The following vintner's licenses ~~xxx~~
granted viz. Samuel Guild; Rufus
Wheeler; Joshua Wyman; John Hastings
Amos Upham; Godfrey F. Belser;
John Erskine; Thomas J. Carver;

licenses
committed

The following applications for vintner's
licenses read & committed as follows viz.
Charles Pitts, John H. Frankson, Joseph
Snow, Truman F. Mayhew, and Abraham
H. Quincy, committed to Aldermen Child,
& Dorr to consider & report.

Thomas Yonge, to Aldermen Eddy
& Patterson, to consider & report.

Richard Malone to Aldermen Baxter
& Hooper, to consider & report.

Adjourned to Monday next 6
o'clock pm. Attest, S. M. Colman City Clerk

Monday August 4th 1823.

Present. The whole board except Aldermen
Odiorne & Benjamin. -

House of
Industry

The Directors of the House of Industry, were authorized to complete the House of Industry outbuildings, & fences, for the purchase of stock for &c. & for carry the said House of Industry into effective operation, reported in part. which was read, & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Baister, Eddy & Dorr, with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report back for concurrence. Came up & was read and the Common Council joined on its part Messrs. Savage, Brooks, Foyde, & Williams & County.

Receipts and
expenditures
City & County

The Committee appointed to prepare the annual statement of receipts & expenditure of the City of Boston, & County of Suffolk, for the past municipal year, & a particular statement of the City's property - made a report which was read & went down. Came up & was accepted & ordered that 5000 Copies be printed & distributed among the Pub^l under the direction of the same Committee. Came Read & concurred.

Derby

The Committee on the petition of Eliz^a. Derby, for leave to have a vault to extend under the street near Hanover street in Federal Court. reported, that the prayer thereof be granted under certain restrictions. Read & accepted, and recommitted to the same Committee to see the work executed.

Potter

Richard Potter's application to be licensed to exhibit as a Ventriologist at the Columbian Museum. Read and the prayer thereof granted upon paying five dollars a night.

Dr. Dexter

The Committee on the petition of Dr. Aaron Dexter, reported, that it is expedient for the superintendent of drains to open a common sewer from Dr. Dexter's house on High street this said street to Atkinson street and northwesterly down Atkinson street to empty into a common sewer which runs down said street. to be done at the expense of those who use said common sewer. to be approved by the surveyors of highways according to law. Read & accepted. Forward accordingly.

Baker

Timothy M. Baker's Antiquary bond approved, & transmitted to J. P. Mason

Welch
Hanover & Ellen

The Committee to whom was referred the Representation of the City Marshal, respecting Thomas Welch, Junr's intention of building on Hanover Street & Ellen Street - Reported, that they have caused the fronts of said lots and the fronts of the adjoining lots, to be surveyed, & have had a line drawn agreed to & plan exhibited with the report, and when the Committee believe to be correct, & when the line was formerly drawn by the Selects in 1808. but Mr. Welch is of a different opinion, & contends that the City in thus causing said line to be drawn, will succeed in his right, but the Committee are unanimously agreed that it is expedient for the City, to adhere to the line thus drawn Read and accepted, and thereupon Voted, that the land be taken at all events, and that a Surveyor be appointed, to meet a surveyor chosen by Mr. Welch, and that the said Surveyor be authorized, to insert in the survey all monuments which may be used, & that the report be recommitted to the Committee who reported it, except that the Attorney be substituted in place of Mr. Welch who has obtained leave of absence. The Surveyor to attend tomorrow morning.

Williams
and No. 12.

The Committee, on the Petition of John D. Williams, Others, Inhabitants of Ward No. 12 for a new School House in said Ward reported, that the prayer of the petition be granted, and that a Committee be appointed to locate the School House, & to take such measures as that the same may be completed by the first day of August next. Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Marsh

Ephraim Marsh has leave to read his Resignation as Health Commissioner, & he agrees to serve the remainder of the year.

Merry &
Washburn

The Committee on the Petition of James Washburn & Jonathan Merry, reported, that a common sewer should be sunk by the City authorities on condition the Petitioners are satisfied to pay the expense as the law provides. Read & accepted.

Drain

Hamilton avenue

The Committee upon the subject of drains reported, that they find there is a common sewer this Hamilton avenue, & this a great part of Broad street, that part of the sewer in Broad street, may want opening & enlarging which should be done at the expense of those benefited; every tenement should have con-

section with the sewer of Mr. Marsh can
point out the mode. Read & accepted
and referred to the Mayor to carry
same into effect.

Drain -
Bangs' alley

The Committee upon the subject
of a drain in Bangs' alley, reported, that
it is expedient to have a drain or
common sewer opened or made from
Bangs' alley as soon as those in
town will, or can be made to pay
the whole expense. Read & accepted.

Motley
Elm street

The Committee to whom was ref
the representation against the Shop of
Wm W. Motley in Elm street, reported,
that they find the whole front of his
shop including the front door has been
carried out from the ground upwards
one story, about one foot into the street
since the town purchased the same land
of Mr. Motley in 1818 or 1819. The
Committee are therefore of opinion that
he be obliged forthwith to carry in
door to the line of his store, & take up
all the work under his bare windows.
Read & accepted. I referred to the Mayor.
Alderman Hooper.

Humphrey
State Street

The Committee to whom the Petition of Benjamin Humphrey, & others, was referred, reporting the lower end of State Street, reported, that it is expedient that the south gutter at the lower end of State Street be repaired & the Committee recommends that the same should be done, so as to conduct the water to the common sewer in India Street under the direction of the Superintendent of drains & Highways. Read & accepted.

Woodward

The Committee on the Petition of Joseph Woodward, & others, praying that the Congregational Society at South Boston may be permitted to occupy part of the building erected for a school house & market house - Reported, that the prayer of the petition be granted on condition: 1. That the Petitioners, furnish the City agreeably to the direction of the Committee

2. That they have it for two years, unless sooner wanted by the City, in which case, the City is to pay a proportion of the repairs, according to time; but if they have it the whole two years, then the City pay nothing - If the City want it for ward or any public meetings, the City to have

to have the occupation free of expense
Read & accepted.

Austin
Suffolk bar
repairs
Court House

Upon the representation of James C. Austin, Esq. a committee of the bar of Suffolk County, ordered, That Aldermen Patterson & Hoag, with such as the Common Council may join, be authorized to consider the propriety of making alterations in the Suffolk Court House rooms for the better accommodation of the Court & the public, and to report thereon at the next meeting of the Council. Resolved, That the Common Council joined in its report Messrs. Hodder, Bates, & Adams.

Badger,
North Margin
& Thacher st.
Well

The Committee upon the petition of Thomas Badger & others, requesting a well to be sunk at or near North Margin Thacher street, reported, that the prayer of the petitioners, ought to be granted, that the best place for the committee to locate said well is at the square formed by the meeting of North Margin Thacher, Kent & Mill Lane, & that the same would be sunk there in the direction of Ephraim March, & the

Committee of the district; that the amount be apportioned on the inhabitants as the law provides.

Read & accepted.

Committee
Voted: That Alderman Benjamin be added to the Committee to consult with Alderman Dorr, in the absence of Alderman Childs.

Marston
Votation of William Marston relating to passing the side waste, Chamber Street read & committed to Alderman Odierne & Patterson, to consider & report.

Secretaries
The Committee upon the subject of Secretaries for buying the dead out of the streets of the City and upon the subject of establishing banks under Charters made a report which was read & accepted
Laid down for concurrence

License
Committee
The following applications for license of Victuallers read & committed as follows viz:
William R. Ford, Edward Town, John W. Tolson, to Aldermen Odierne & Benjamin

Lucius Burnham and Peter J. Cornen
to Aldermen Child & Dorr.

Licenses
granted

The following licenses were granted
Richard Malone, Truman F. Mayhew,
Abraham H. Quincy, John H. Frankston,
Joseph Snow and Ephraim Dodge, Valued

Licenses not
granted

Charles Fith application for a water
license not granted.

Chapman
Side walks
Franklin St.

Henry Chapman & others, praying that
the sidewalks on the south side of Prairie
street, from No 1 to the corner of Federal
street is narrow, & praying that the
same may be widened & straitened. Resolved
to be committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr
to consider & report.

Constables

The following named persons were
nominated by the Mayor, and appointed
by the board of constables of the City of
Boston for the year ensuing 1871:

Elisha Copeland; Solomon Twist, James
Parker, Jonathan Prescott, Thomas Holden,
George Reed, David Baldwin, Horatio Peabody,
Elisha V. Glover, Jason Brannin, Ebenezer

Shute, George Robinson, James Peice;
Zedediah Sandell, Ara Froudy, Anna;
Thomas Mullan, and ~~Wright~~.

Auctioneers
granted

The Committee upon auctioneers ~~made~~
reported that the following named persons,
be licensed as Auctioneers, and they were
nominated by the Mayor and appointed
accordingly viz: James Bourquin,
Edw P. D. Desgrands, Silas Field, and
Samuel Wolcott.

Auctioneers
not granted

The following, the committee reported
their licenses should not be granted, viz:
David Abby, Theodore Barton, William
Brooks, Martin Chapin, Charles Chabert,
Ezra Cobb, Joseph W. Leyer, Timothy
Kathaway, William Harbottle, David Jones,
Abraham Lansing, John M. Parker, Roy
Parker, Henry White, Ephraim Whitney,

Willard,

The committee, on the application of Aaron
Willard ^{to open a drain in Washington street} reported that said Willard, have liberty
to repair his drain in the way he thinks best.
Read and accepted.

Leveitt st.

Ordered, that Leveitt street be
gravelled in front of the City Court house
adjourned to Thursday next 11 o'clock A.M.
at the City Court.

Thursday August 7th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Aldermen
Child.

Clarke

Petition of Tependen Clarke, Petitioner
against Trunks standing in Central street,
Read & committed to the Mayor, to consider
report.

Hill

Petition of Samuel Hill, petitioner
a Pump and Wells in Myrtle street.
Read & committed to the Mayor, to con-
sider & report.

Bacon,
May st.

Petition of John A. Bacon, Petitioner
to extend May street to Hancock street.
Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen
Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Goodridge,
Main st.

Upon the petition of Cornelius Goodridge,
relative to land taken to widen Union
street - Voted, that the opinion of this
board is that the value of the land, or
be decided by a Jury, as soon as it
can be done in a regular course of

law. That it is the interest of the ~~town~~^{City} that such a course should be taken & recommend it to Mr. Lodge as a course acceptable to this board;

Chapman

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Henry Chapman, & others relative to side walk in Franklin street Reported, That it is inexpedient to widen the side walks on the south side of Franklin street opposite the Theatre. That the attorneys Benjamin Pusey, Esq. & the Roman Catholic Religious Society have consented that their side walks opposite those two estates may be taken up, graduated, & laid down at their expense under the direction of Mr. Mearns & Messrs. Targent & Harts all which is now in the course of completion. Read & accepted.

Lincoln

Ed South

The committee to whom the account of Master Lincoln for minor bringing at the Old South on the 4th of July last. Reported, that the charge for "professional assistance" is incorrect, & ought not to be allowed. The balance \$185.75 is allowed.

Read & accepted

Greenough & Thordike - Thordike, relation to a common sewer & South Allen st. South Allen street. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider reports.

Pleasant st. Voted, that the subject of the side walks in Pleasant street - be committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooper to consider & report.

Orange & Front streets Voted, that the repair of Orange and Front streets through land of Abraham Gibb decrease be committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooper to consider & report.

Oil gas Voted, that the Mayor be a committee to consider the subject of the effluvia arising from oil gas.

Jennings Voted, that William Jennings Agent to hire a piece of land in the back bay, be read & committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooper, to consider & report.

Annual visitation & Schools Voted, that Wednesday the 20th instant be assigned for the annual visitation of the Schools & that Aldermen Odiorne, the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne & Eddy be a committee of arrangements.

to provide and make what provision may
be necessary.

Wys' pump
whill square

Voted, That the Aldermen: Order
Benjamin, consider the subject of Wysz's
Wys' pump in Leontille square.

Harkins street
School

Voted, That the sub-committee
be authorized to put blinds to the Harkins
street school house, if they see fit.

Shreve
Ludgers

Petition of Henry Shreve relative
to making Carriages read & committed to
Aldermen Eddy & Tallman, to consider & report.

Doyle
Columbian Museum

Petition of William M. S. Doyle relative
to a philosophical apparatus used in the City
Columbian Museum Read and thereupon
Voted That the said apparatus be
considered as included in the license heretofore
granted to said Doyle for the
Columbian Museum.

Smith
State street

Voted, That Aldermen Child & Dorr
be authorized to consider the subject of the
proposition of the house of Barney Smith, in
State street used by the City Eagle Bank
into said shed - and also that of the house
occupied by Thomas Wendall, and that occupied
by Robert & Worsley. -

Market
Mill Pond

Voted, That Aldermen Eddy, Hooper & Patterson be a committee to consider what measures ought to be taken in relation to the land designated as "Market" in the Mill Pond, and if necessary confer with the proprietors, & report what ought to be done on the subject.

Summer street
improvements

Voted, That Aldermen Baxter & Dorr be a committee to consider the improvements making in Summer street.

Accounts

The Committee to whom was referred the accounts against the City for the month of July last, reported, that they have paid the whole of the accounts amounting to \$15,848, 80^{cts} all which they found to be rightly cast & duly approved. Read & accepted.

Hay weighers
found

Samuel Phillips hay weighers found approved. Motion Joseph Lovering and John Parker, Esquires.

Comer

~~William Rowson's bill~~
Peter J. Comer's application, a Ventrallus licentia recommended to a Charles J. Dorr.

Licenses
granted

The following licenses granted viz.
John G. Wynnian, Virtualles, Oliver Trani, &
Samuel D. Davenport, Retailers, Lucius
Burnham, Virtualles -

Licenses
committed

The following applications for licenses
committed viz.

Elisha E. Barber, Virtualles, to Aldermen
Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

James Ryan, Virtualles to Aldermen
Odiorne & Dorr.

Hannah Gould, Virtualles to Aldermen
Baxter & Hooper.

William Clapp, Virtualles to Aldermen
Eddy & Patterson.

Licenses not
granted

The following licenses not granted
viz. John W. Folson, Virtualles, Sarah
Montgomery, Virtualles, ~~Wm~~ R. Frost,
Virtualles, Edward Town, Virtualles, -

Notables

Abel Whedlock and Andrew Sanborn
were nominated and appointed Constables,
of the City of Boston.

William Dimmock & J. A. Drew ^{Conductors} responded for
the present.

Adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock
P.M. Attest, J. M. Cleary City Clerk

Special Meeting.

Present - The Mayor - Aldermen
Dorr, Patterson, Eddy & Hooper.

Bulfinch &
Tice

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized
to sign two agreements, one with Sarcinich & Co.
appointing Commissioners to appraise land & to
to widen Bond Street belonging to said Bulfinch
the other with Peter Tice appointing the same
Commissioners to appraise the value & the load
of said Tice of the stable so taken belonging
to said Bulfinch to widen said street.

Plans estates
near
Faneuil Hall
marked

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized
to cause plans of to be taken of every
estate around Faneuil Hall marked.

Adjourned to Monday next 4
o'clock PM. Attest,

Wm. C. Williams City Clerk

Monday August 11th 1823.

Present The whole board except Alderman
Chiles.

Petition of William Fennor for an Inn
holder's license read & committed to Alderman
Chiles, Dorr & Eddy, to consider & report.

~~Aguedent Corp.~~ Voted, That it is inexpedient to grant
~~liberty~~ to the Aguedent Corporation the
privilege to take up a range of old logs
at the northwly end of Front street extend-
ing one thousand feet; but that said
Corporation have liberty to take up the logs
in the other part of said street, the over-
spring; provided they leave the street in
as good order as at present. As well as
gravelled, under the direction of the Super-
intendent of highways: subject to the
directions of the Surveyors of highways.

Hyde Voted, That Solomon Hyde be
appointed pump keeper of the pump
in Well street provided that Alder-
man Dorr shall agree with
him.

Elliott

Leat. John Elliott has liberty to use
Hancock School room for the choice of
Officers of his company.

Hershey & Durall

Brattle St.

Petition of Hershey & Durall, I then
for the repairs of a pump in Brattle
street. Read & committed to Alder-
men Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Emmons

Orange St.

Petition of Samuel Emmons, I then
to widen the street leading from the west
side of Orange street, extending from Eli
street northward to the land of Miss
Lander. Read & committed to Alder-
men Baxter & Hooper, to consider & report.

Southack St.

Gould

Voted, That the City will light
lamp in Southack street, erected by Mr
Gould in 1841.

Whistles on the

Common

Voted, That the Committee on the
Common cause the Whistles to be removed
from the Common Lane.

Parkman

Federal St.

Petition of Samuel Parkman relative
to widening Federal street. Read & com-
to Aldermen Dorr & Benjamin, to consider
report.

Hallet

Petition of George Hallet, Athens, praying that all house buildings be numbered, & that the trap numbers made by John M. Dearborn be used for that purpose. Read & the prayer thereof not granted.

Primary Schools

Order of the Common Council, increasing the appropriation of the primary schools - Came up for concurrence. Read and committed to Aldermen Odiorne, Down, and Patterson, to consider and report.

Hayward,
Clark of V.
Market

Leah Hayward, Clerk of the Market's account read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider and report.

Com: of arrangements

Voted, That Aldermen Patterson be added to the committee of arrangements to provide for the annual dinner on the visitation of the Schools.

Howe's wharf Corp.

Petition of the Howe's wharf Corporation relative to stopping a passage way leading from the water side towards Fort Hill. Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Down and Benjamin, to consider & report.

Warrall

Petition of John Warrall, relative to
his account for preparing fire works for 4th
July, read & committed to Aldermen Eddy,
& Patterson, to consider & report.

Ingraham

Joseph W. Ingraham's account for
printing oration for 4th July last - Committed
to the Mayor.

Market

Communication relative to idlers &
loungers in and about the Market place
and an indecent sign near the Market place
in Brattle street. Read & committed to the
Mayor.

Williams

Petition of David Williams to
keep open his Shop in Charles street
after 10 o'clock at night - Read and the
prayer thereof not granted, it being
contrary to law.

Reg's Office

The Committee upon the subject
of procuring two cases to contain books of record
& six chains for the Register of deeds
Office reported that they had procured
the articles requested.

Knapp

~~Read~~ ~~Resolved~~ Samuel L. Knapp Esq.
proposition, to
shall, erect a Lamp in Oliver Street, & that
the same be lighted, at the expense of
the City. Read & committed to Alderman
Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Municipal Court

The Committee to whom was referred
the letter from the Judge of the Municip-
al Court, relative to state of the street
in front of the Court House, reported
that they had attended to it by
graveling the street in front, have removed
the dirt complained of.

Thayer

Representation of J. M. Thayer, Dothens,
relative to a number of lamps being wanted
between Cornhill, & Market street, to the
corner of Newbury & Beylston streets. Read
& committed to the Mayor.

Cotton

Representation of John Cotton, Esq.
relative to Bangs Alley - Read & com-
to the Mayor.

Hook Ladder
Company.

Voted, that thirty dollars be
paid to the Captain of the Hook &
Ladder Company for the use of sd.
Company.

Auctioneer.

Daniel Drivell ^{to be} ~~nominated~~ and
appointed Auctioneer. Brattle street.
read ^{to} Aldermen Child, & Dorr.
Mitchell, Lincoln, Ebenezer Hill

Constables

Ebenezer Trescott, and Simon Wright
were nominated, and appointed Constables
of the City of Boston.

Licenses
granted.

The following licenses granted, viz
Samuel F. Lacey, Innholder - Jonathan
Wheeler, Victualler, Hannah Gould, Victualler
Charles Scaver, Retailer (removal) John Boyer
James Ryan.

Licenses not
granted

The following licenses not granted
viz. Mary Brazier, Innholder; Andrew
Burnham, Victualler; Elisha E. Buel
Victualler.

Licenses com-
mitted

The following licenses committed
as follows viz.
Scott B. Merrill - Retailer, Eliza Smith
Victualler, Lambert Maynard - Victualler
Aaron Stevens, Victualler. John L. Mann
Innholder - George W. Parsons - Victualler
Road & committed to Aldermen Child
& Dorr - to consider & report.

Licenses

(committed)

William R. Frost - Virtualer - 1

Virtualer Read Second

to Aldermen Odium & Burdick, to
consider & report -

William Tenney, Virtualer, John M.
White, Virtualer - to Aldermen Baxter
& Hooper to consider & report.

Edmund Harney, Virtualer to
Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to
consider & report -

Licenses

Voted, That upon ~~each~~ ^{every} removal
the ~~each~~ person licensed pay to the City Clerk
one dollar, for each removal for the
use of the City.

Adjourned to Thursday next 11 o'clock
A.M.

Attest

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Thursday August 14th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Aldermen
Childs, -

Pleasant, Orange,
& Front st.

The subject of the side walks on
Pleasant, Orange & Front streets, referred
the Mayor -

Harris

Petition of Leach Harris, & others
that that the town slip between Rows &
Foster's wharf may be appropriated for
the purpose of erecting thereon an Insane
house: Read & committed to the Mayor
Aldermen Childs & Hooper, to consider &
report.

Howard st

The subject of the side walk
from Howard street, across Mount street -
referred to the Mayor

Assessors

Daniel Durrell, and Thomas
English nominated, & appointed, Assessors.

Oliver street

The committee upon the subject
of a Lamp in Oliver street, reported, that
one be erected at the charge of the property
at the corner of the street, that it be
lighted at the charge of the City, & in

Committee further reports that it does
wants no repair except it has no side
walk. Read & accepted.

Hill

The Mayor on the petition of Samuel
Hill, reported, that the subject complained of
being a private concern and not within the
City jurisdiction. Read & accepted.

Jennings

The committee on the petition of
Wm. Jennings, for leave to purchase a
piece of land on the back bar, reported,
that it is inexpedient to grant the
prayer of the petition. Read & accepted.

Orange St.

Upon the subject of widening the
street leading from the west side of Orange,
that the committee of that district be
attend to the subject when the building
shall be taken down. (3)

State Street

Projections in State Street referred
to the Mayor.

Warrell

The committee upon the petition &
account of John Warrell, reported, that no
further sum be granted to said Warrell or
any further other person on account of the
fire works. Read & accepted.

Mayor of
Phil^a.

Voted, That the Thanks of this board
be presented to Robert Wharton, Esq. Mayor
of the City of Philadelphia, for his very
acceptable & valuable donation of two Copies
of the ordinances of that City, and that
the Mayor be requested to present the
thanks accordingly.

Hayward
Clerk of the
Market

The committee upon the account
of the Clerk of the Market, report
that the same was correct, and that
amount be paid into the City Treasury
amounting to \$663. 50. Read and
approved.

Sanford
James Row

Return of the expenses of building
a drain in Broad Row to Newbury
made by Samuel Sanford, amounting to
\$202. 43 and ordered, that said Sanford
be authorized to ^{receive} collect the amount
from those upon whom the same is
expended.

Lowmber
Temple St

The Committee to whom was
referred the petition of Benjamin Lowmber
to have Temple Street extended to Sum-

Street - made a report, as on file.
Read & accepted. Sent down for
Concurrence.

Indisputably postponed in Common Council.

House of
Industry &
Common House

The Committee charged with the
statement made by the Directors of the house
of Industry, at South Boston - make a report
(as on file). Read and accepted -
and thereupon ^{passed} Voted, that the Mayor
Aldermen, Odiorne, Child, and Benjamin
with such as the common Council
may join, to carry said report and
the votes passed thereon into effect.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up
concurred. & the Common Council joined
in its grant. Voted the President, Coolidge, Welles,
S. H. Williams & Jackson

Licenses granted

The following licenses granted
Wm. Aaron Stevans; Lambert Maynard;
George A. Parsons; ^{George Morgan} Thomas Yonge;
John L. Marston; Edmund Karpner;
William Terry; William Clapp;
Vithuallen Little L. Parvill, retailer

Licenses not
granted

The following applications for licenses
not granted: William K. Frost - retail.
William Fenn, Imholder - Putnam Co.
Merrill, Imholder - Dudley Bradstreet -
Vithallen - Mary Krager - Imholder

Adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock
pm. Attest,

J. P. McClellan, City Cl.

Monday August 18th 1823.

⁴⁰Present - The whole board except Aldermen
Chiley.

Adams

Petition of Joseph Adams, relative to
widening Centre Street, read & committed
to Aldermen Baxter, Osborne, Dorr,
Benjamin, and Eddy, to consider & report.

Nathaway &
Hartwell

Timothy Nathaway & W^m Hartwell to
be licensed as Auctioneers, read & committed
to Aldermen Eddy, Patterson, & Dorr, to
consider & report.

Field
Cemeteries

Order of the Common Council, committing
the Petitions of Joseph Field, & others, for an
order of the City Council, to prohibit burying
on the streets to the Committee, who have
under consideration the subject of establishing
Cemeteries, to consider & report. Came up
for concurrence. Read & concurred.

St Paul's
Church

Order of the Common Council, com-
mitting the Petition of the Ministers of St Paul's
Church praying for leave to bury in the lands erected
under St Paul's Church to Messrs Adam, Wright and

Sibly with such as the board of Aldermen
might join, to consider & report. Came up
for concurrence. ~~Came up~~ Read & concurred
and Aldermen Eddy & Hooper are joined.

Lewis' Wharf

account of Lewis Wharf read and
committed to the committee of the district
viz Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Tray
Fort Hill

Isaac C. Travis, Father, Inhabitants
near Fort Hill, petition for improvement
in the same. Read & committed to Aldermen
Child & Doer, to consider & report.

Elm street

The committee on the subject of the
side walks in Elm street made a
report (as on file) Read & accepted,
and ordered that the committee of the
District carry the same into effect.

Parkman

Petition of Thomas Parkman, relating
to digging down Oliver & Belknap streets
near his house read & committed to
the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne, Benjamin
& Hooper, with such as the Committee

Council may join, to consider & report.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up con-
curred, and the common Council joined on
its part Messrs. Savage, Sibby, Stodder,
Whaler & Swett.

Pump Keepers
Salary

Report of the Committee upon
the subject of the pump-keepers salary
that Solomon Hyde, be allowed ten
dollars a month. Read & accepted.

Parkman
Federal St.

The Committee upon the petition
of Samuel Parkman, relative to widening
Federal street, reported that said street be
widened according to a plan therewith
exhibited. Read & accepted; Ordered that
the improvements be added to the plan
of said street in the book of plans.

Lincoln
oring
Purchase Street.

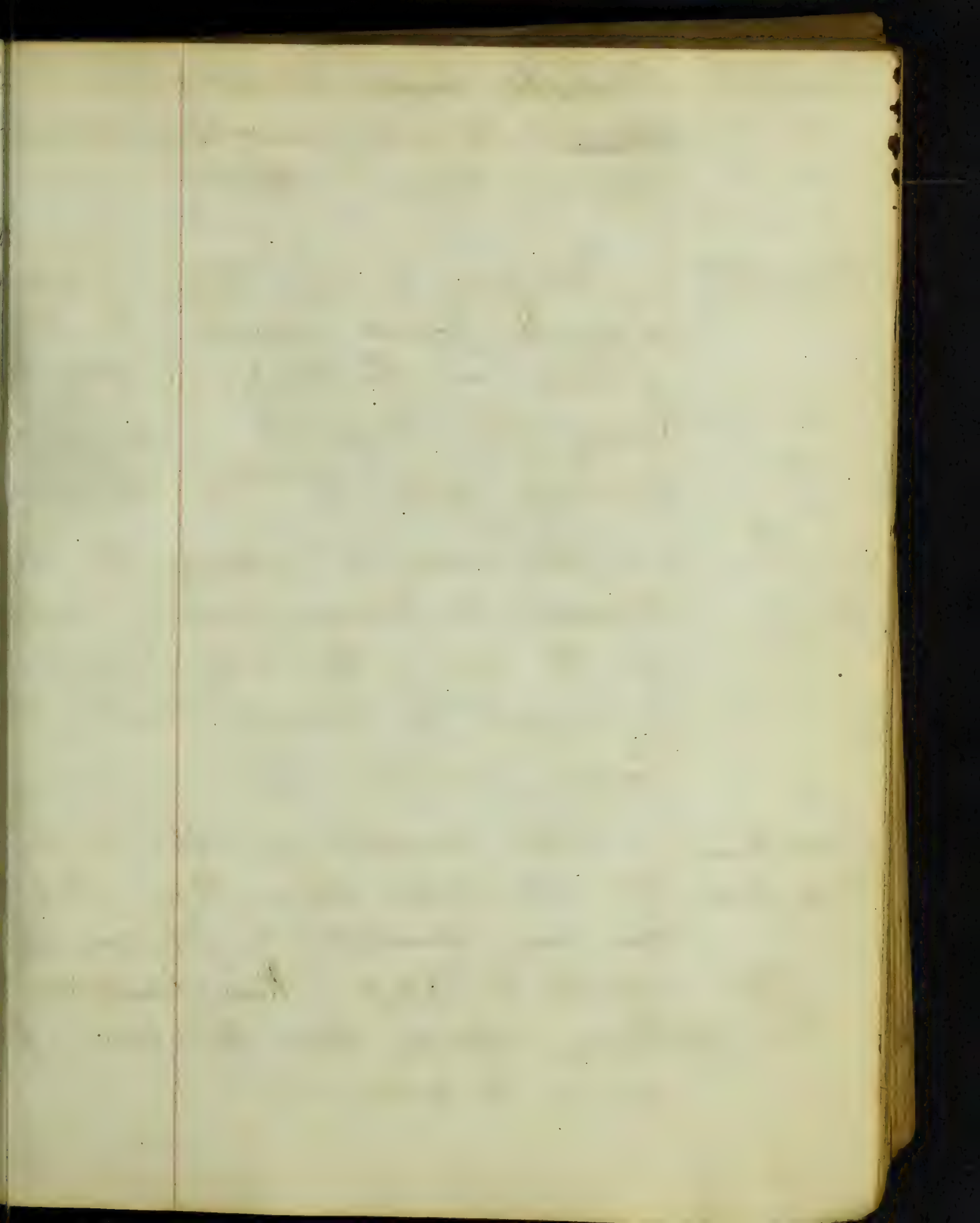
The Committee on the petition of
Hawkes Lincoln, Elijah Living, for the repair
of wells in Purchase street. Made a report.
Read & not accepted, the board being
of opinion that the pump well is
a private land.

Binney
Surveyor of Wood
from Dec. 5. 67
1828 before
J. M. Cleary
Licenses
granted.

Joshua Binney was nominated
appointed Surveyor of wood in Canal
bridge.

The following licenses were granted
viz. William Canton, Daniel Clapp
Hiram R. Perry, and Daniel Ladd
Vitullos - Anthony Chaponil,
Confutious - removed.

Adjourned to Thursday next
4 o'clock P.M.
Attest
J. M. Cleary City Cl.



Thursday August 21st 1823.

~~Present~~ — The whole board except Aldermen
Childs, and Patterson.

Tax bill,

An order to raise a sum of money
to pay the current expenses of the City
of Boston, and the County of Suffolk, the
ensuing year, passed to be enrolled in
concurrence with the Common Council.

Treasurer to
borrow

An order to authorize the City
Treasurer to borrow a sum of money
for the use of the City. passed to
be enrolled in concurrence with the
Common Council.

School house.
South Boston

The Committee upon the building
the South Boston School House. That the
same was completed by John Drayton —
agreeable to contract. Read & accepted.
Thereupon Ordered, that the balance of the
account be paid.

Adams
are shed.

The Committee on the Petition of Joseph Adams, relative to widening Court Street reported that it is inexpedient to do any thing further about it, inasmuch as Mr. Adams has complied with a previous agreement made with the City authorities.

Read & accepted.

Coolidge

Voted, That Altham Adison and Benjamin be authorized to run the line of the building now about to be erected by Lemuel Coolidge in Court Street near Bowdoin Square, and to take such land as may be necessary to widen said street.

Constables

Voted, That notice be given to William Drismore, Wendell R. Barker and Job Drew, late Constables of the City of Boston, that others have been appointed in their stead, and that they must no longer act in that Capacity.

Rackliff

Petition of William F. Rackliff, Father, and that they may be relieved from noises, qualling fighting &c. caused by sundry coloured people in or near where wharf head and committed to the Mayor.

Bainey

Petition of Aaron Bainey, Father to have a drain or common sewer thro' Hancock & Summer streets read committed to Aldermen Odium and Benjamin, to consider & report.

Winthrop

Voted, that the Mayor give notice to Thomas L. Winthrop, Esq. that he has been assessed \$46.66, for ~~the~~ his proposition of opening the drain or common sewer in Tremont street.

School house

Ward No. 12

Voted, that Aldermen Baxter, Child and Benjamin, be a committee to consider and report the proper plan for the location of a School house to be built in Ward No. 12.

Preston

Petition of Joshua Preston & Others

Pump Committee
square

to have a pump repaired at the
expense of the City, behind Joy's building
Levenshale square. Read & committed
to Aldermen Odinson & Benjamin to
report to whom the pump belongs &
if the water be good in the well

Flanagan

Pump

Wilson's Lane

Petition of Robert Flanagan &

Others, relative to a pump in Wilson's
Lane that the same may be
repaired. - Read & committed to
Aldermen Child & Dorr to consider
& report.

Elm street

The Committee appointed to re-
move a part of the side walk
in front of City Market in Elm street
made a report as on file -
Read & accepted.

Hayward

Petition of Charles Hayward in behalf
of proprietors of nine lots on Hayward
place, praying that a common sewer
may be made thru Spens street - Read
& committed to Aldermen Baxter &
Hodges to consider & report.

State Street

Voted, that the Committee of the District be authorized to pave the South side of State Street, and lay down such flat stones as may be necessary.

Licenses

The following licenses were granted - William R. Frost, ret. Andron fore - Virtually, Silas Plar Virtually - and Isaac Campbell Virtually provided he is a citizen of the U. S.

Folsom

Voted, that the former vote upon the application of John W. Folsom to be licensed as a Virtually be not reconsidered.

Adjourned to Monday next
4 o'clock pm.

Attest
S. F. McCreary, City Clerk

Monday August 25th 1823.

Present. The whole board except Aldermen Odiorne, Childs, & Ballouin.

Ordered

Resolved, That hereafter all acts of the City Council shall be denominated Ordinances and that the enacting style shall be

"Be it ordained by the City Council."

Put down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Acts of City
Council

Hooker

Application of Gilman Hooker for an Anti-holles's claim committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

Jurors

Six Jurors drawn for the District Court September term.

Wales

Petition of Thomas B. Wales, Shew, praying that Wheeler's point may be repaired and committed to Aldermen Baxter & Bury Hooper to consider & report.

Resolved, that \$150 be paid to Paper & Quire for printing 13th annual report according to resolution.

School
Nov 10 6.

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen -
Odiorne, Benjamin be a committee,
to examine a proper site, & cause a plan to
be made for the new School House in
Nov 10 6. and report.

Schools
Globe and Maps

Report of a Sub-Committee of
School Committee, recommending Maps &
Globes for the use of the Schools, and
that \$300 be appropriated therefor. The
Committee to Aldermen Eddy & H-ja
with such as the Common Council may
join, to consider & report. And dores to
concurrence. Came up concurred. & the Com
Council joined in it. Mark Mep^r Savage,
Francis & Hastings.

Gleason

William Gleason named as a Sub

Barber,
Pond Street

Petition of Robert Barber, Others,
praying that Mill Pond Street may be
altered to Brooks Street. Read from
to Aldermen Eddy and Patterson, to
consider & report.

Adams

Petition of Haver Adams, to extend
the projection of the second story of his house
in Meeting street down even to the ground.
Read and voted that it is inexpedient
to grant the prayer of the petition.

Ship street

Hard

The committee to whom was referred
the petition of widening Ship street, reported
that they had sent J. P. Fuller to survey the
same, & to take for the use of
the city, & find the quantity to be 775 1/2
feet, & recommended that twenty five cords
free soil be allowed Edmund Hart, the
owner, whenever he shall execute a good
sufficient deed of the same to the city.
The plan annexed to said report.

Read & accepted

Gamages

The Committee to whom was referred
the petition of G. A. Gamages, & others, for
relief of persons who now or hereafter
may be confined for debt, in the County
Gaol, recommended as a amelioration of their
condition, that there be allowed to each
debtor apart from the following additional
articles of furniture 1847 are table - and

bench, for every man present - an ass to
one horse - one horse for pork, one for
one can of hard soap. Some had from
various other sources for each letter house.
They also recommended that food be served
them twice every day & that potatoes be
allowed occasionally to each & as
desired them. Head & necked

Williams'
Court,

The drain in Williams' Court, the
City Marshal, reported as a nuisance.
There are two owners of the lot. One
of them is the drain who do not appear
to desire the opening thereof, but the
Commission seems to demand that the
nuisance should be abated. The abate-
ment is committed to the Mayor, to do
the owners to have their particular de-
repaired.

Wheel barrows
Hand Carts
&c.

An ordinance for regulating
persons using wheel barrows, hand car-
riages, within the City & 19
feet and paper to be provided for
their use.

McPargo

Mayor Russell came up with a
message from the Common Council, to propose
an amendment to the first vote passed at
the meeting and the same was amended
accordingly.

Curson

Edley St.

Petition of Benjamin Lamson, Father,
for a drain in Middle Street. Read &
committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Curson

Orange St.

Ordered, on the petition of Samuel
Curson, Father, that Orange Street, be
widened and that Aldermen Wright, Benjamin
and Eddy, be a committee to take what
land may be expedient.

Edley St.

Haskins

Petition of Little & Haskins, praying
for a drain in West Centre Street.
Read & committed to Aldermen Edson &
Benjamin.

Edley St.

Horne

Ordered, that Aldermen Odiorne and
Benjamin, be a committee to consider the
necessity of cutting off part of the side walk
on the West side of the Old Sheds Home -
said Committee to consult Col. McPargo
before deciding.

Paving
3

Told, that the Superintendent of
paving he left last year in Washington
about to have the gutters on Garden
Street.

Preston

The Committee to whom the Petition
of Joshua Preston, Letters praying that he
might in Cornhill house where he resided
be removed, that said house be repaired, &
extreme speed, upon the persons who use
the water. Read & accepted.

Drains

The Committee upon the petition
of John Roxbury drains from the lower bordering on the
receiving basin of the Boston (Roxbury
Mill) Corporation. Reported, that it is
expedient for the City to interfere.
Read & accepted.

Ruckliff

The Mayor upon the petition of
William F. Ruckliff, Letters praying for
disturbances in colored people & them on
Whitaker's wharf reported, that he had on
the 11th inst. John Marshall to attend
the business.

Agreed to Thursday next
at 12 o'clock P.M. Attest. J. W. C. City

Thursday August 28th 1823.

Present. The whole board, - except Aldermen Child and Benjamin.

Brooks & Fine House. Petition of Noah Brooks, Father, relative to a piece of land for an Engine House at South Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Maxley & Hooper, to consider & report, & with instructions to ascertain upon what terms a piece of land can be bought, & report.

Brooks & Fine House. Petition of Noah Brooks, praying for leave to sink a drain in South Boston, read, & committed to Aldermen Maxley & Hooper, to consider & report.

Whitman. Petition of Thomas Whitman, in behalf of the Columbian Charitable Society of Shipwrights, to occupy the Ward room in Middle street, for the purpose of holding their quarterly meetings, read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Tallman, to consider & report.

Wan. The subject of the lease of Thomas Bean's Office, in the Old State House. Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Doer.

Salmon

Bosford, Kingston
&
that streets.

Petition of John Salmon, & others,
read & committed, to have the bottom
Bosford street, Kingston & Short street, ^{paved}
committed, to Aldermen Butler, White
Dorr, to consider & report.

Moody

Petition of Samson H. Moody, & others,
to have a hall once or twice a month
either in Belknap or George street from
six to one o'clock - read & committed to
Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider
& report.

Harlow

South street

Petition of Thomas Harlow, & others
to have South street paved, read and
committed to Aldermen Butler & Hooper

Rice

State street

Petition of Henry Rice, for a
common sewer in State street, read and
committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to
consider & report.

Rice & New
England Bank

Resolved, that the Mayor, Aldermen
Child & Dorr be a committee, to take
consideration of the petition of Henry Rice
cellar way, also that of the New England
bank, to consider & report.

Medals

27th Voted, That the Mayor be authorized to pay one hundred dollars, to Hodder & Procter, & Annie L. Smith, which he received from a gentleman who gave two Gold Medals one at the Latin School & the other at the Classical School.

Garvin

It appearing to this board that, ^{at the Police Court} Nicholas Garvin, has been convicted, of selling spiritous liquors, on Sunday the 21st instant, contrary to law and the conditions of his bond given at the time he was licensed, as a ^{Wholesale} Retailer. Thereupon Voted, That this license be revoked, and the same is revoked accordingly, and that notice thereof be given said Garvin by the City Clerk.

Materials - to be expended on the Mill Pond Land.

Voted, That Aldermen Odium Hddy be authorized to consider the subject of enclosing a piece of the Mill Pond Land for the purpose of depositing materials belonging to the City.

Tax bill

An order to raise a sum of money to pay the current expenses of the City of Boston & the County of Suffolk the ensuing year passed.

Pond Street

The committee upon the subject of changing the name of Pond Street to P Street - reported, that by an act of the Legislature said street was named for Street, the committee are of opinion that the alteration of the name must be made by a like act. Read & accepted, and thereupon voted, that it is inexpedient to change the name of said street.

Treasurer to borrow money

An order authorizing the Treasurer to borrow a sum of money for the use of the City - passed.

Marble St.
New City

The committee to whom was referred the subject of widening Marble Street, reported, that they have taken & laid into said street land belonging to Mr. Timson - [it is at large file] Read & accepted.

Larson

Middle Street.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Benjamin Larson, & others requesting that a drain might be laid in Middle Street - reported, that the prayer of the petition ought to be granted; & that Mr. M. the Superintendent be directed to have the

came done forthwith. Read & accepted

Lewis' Wharf

The Committee upon the subject of Lewis' Wharf account, reported, that seven dollars & fifty cents be allowed the proprietors in full, for said bill. Read & accepted.

Cartridges

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of providing cartridges for the use of the City Militia, reported, that they have accepted the proposals of Henry Cheape, for manufacturing all the cartridges wanted for the use of the City, & deliver them as called for by the Lieutenants of the different regiments; at \$2.50 of thousand with the additional charge of five dollars, for transporting the whole quantity from the powder Magazine. Read & accepted.

Tanahan

The Committee on the petition of Robert Tanahan, Esq., reported, that the premises mentioned in said petition is on the premises of John Brazier, Esq. It is repaired by him without the interference of the City authorities. Read & accepted.

Barthaway & Hartwell

Affidavits of Timothy Barthaway & William Hartwell, to be licensed as auctioneers, not granted, inasmuch as the vote of the council

Licences

The following licences granted, viz
John W. Goodale, Charles Whitman
Elisha Gilkey, Benson Blackpole,
Vintnatters.

Licence granted.

Gilman Hork's application to be
licensed as an Innholder not granted.

Adjourned to Monday next 14th
Jm. Wood
J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday September 1st 1823.

Present The whole board, except Alderman Child.

Lamb

Inquisition was had upon John Lamb in virtue of an order of the Judge of Probate for the County of Suffolk, and he was found to be alienum non compos mentis - and the same was certified accordingly.

Bates

Petition of Adna Bates, for liberty to occupy the City's land on the east corner of Post Hill, to do certain Carpenter's work. Read & committed to Alderman Dorr and Eddy with directions to grant the prayer of the petition upon such terms as they may think fit - if the public good requires it.

Marsh

Representation⁷² ~~Petition~~ of Ephraim Marsh, relating to making and repairing drains & common sewers - Read & committed to the Mayor Aldermen, Benjamin & Patterson

Barry

Petition of William Barry, relating to repairing doors in front of the Old Jail House - Read & committed to Alderman Child & Dorr with authority to make such repairs as they may think expedient

Alline

Petition of Henry Alline, Register of deeds, praying that his Office may be repaired. - Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin. -

Wood

Voted. that Aldermen Odiorne, Eddy & Dorr, be a Committee to procure wood for the County and Schools. -

Dean

Voted. that Thomas Dean's leave be renewed for one year for \$400.

Mespenger

Daniel Mespenger's leave be renewed for one year for \$600 including the Lawyer's Office. -

Forre

Voted. that Aldermen Child & Dorr, be a committee to consider & report the expediency of building a ~~stone~~ wall at bottom & back above ground to the eastward of the place where Hall J. Forre wishes to build a house on Fort Hill adjoining the School House land.

Warrant

Warrant drawn upon the Com. Treasurer for the amount of draft against the County of Suffolk amounting to \$1003. 70. -

Hayward -
Petition of George Hayward, relative
to land taken to widen Orange street
Road & thereupon Ordered, that sixty
two & an half cents per foot be allowed
him therefor.

Paul's
The Committee to whom was referred
the Petition of Stephen Loodman, in behalf
of the Proprietors of St Paul's Church [as in
file 7] ~~Resolved~~ That the above report be
accepted, the same not hereafter to be
drawn into precedent. Sent down for
Concurrence. Came up concurred.

Holbrook
Petition of Genl. Holbrook, to
occupy the third room in Middle street
for the use of the Officers of the first
Regiment 3rd Brigade, for the purpose
of drilling in the Hall. Read and
Noted. That it is inexpedient to grant
the same.

Hannock
The Committee to whom the sub-
mission that of opening a common sewer in
Hannock Hannock streets reported, that

That they had examined the premises
I reported, that a common sewer in
S. & S. is much needed. Read
accepted, I thereupon told, that the
same be committed to the Committee
of the district aforesaid, to carry the
same into effect.

City Ordinances

An ^{enrolled} order respecting City ordi-
nances - passed.

Little & Haskell,

The Committee to whom the Petition
of Little & Haskell, for a drain on Water
Centre Street was committed, reported,
that they have so far ^{attended} to the subject, as
to recommend that a common sewer be
said street be constructed, & that the
abutters be required to enter their shares
therein. Read & committed to the Mayor
& the Committee of the District, to carry
the same into effect.

Mayor

The Mayor reported on the Petition
of H. Mayer & Son, relative to the Lanes.
Reported that it is inexpedient to make
any alteration in lighting the same.
Read & accepted.

Order of the Common Council, directing
the sum of ten thousand five hundred dollars
be granted for the support of ^{the primary} ~~school~~ schools for
the present year, & a further sum of five
hundred dollars to enable the committee
in said schools to make a small increase
in the salaries of the instructors. Came
up for concurrence. Read & concurred with
an amendment. Laid down for concurrence.
Came up non-concurred - and the same
was announced by the Hon. Mr. Pease
member of the Common Council. Read
again. & the board reconsider their former
vote and concern with the Common
Council.

Petition of Elizabeth Dorrell and James
A. Dickson, Managers of Federal Street Theatre
said Theatre licensed for seven months
and that the board would reconsider so
far modify the vote respecting theatrical
license, that a license may be granted them
for the term aforesaid - and that they
may be licensed for the purpose of
selling liquors within the walls of the

Theatre. Read and the prayer that
so far granted, and that said, Men
have a license for theatrical exhibits
upon the terms as reported, by the
Committee upon that subject, upon
paying \$700 according to the terms
of said report and that bond be
given as therein mentioned - and
that they be licensed to sell African
Liquors within the walls of the prison
during the Office hours of performance
except in the third row of boxes

Guerough &
Thomdike
Smith Allen &

The committee upon the Petition
of David Guerough & John Thomdike
that a common sewer be made in South
Allen Street reported, that the subject
be deferred for this present. Read and
accepted.

Wm
State that

Upon the Petition of Henry
Wm for a common sewer in State Street
committed to the Committee of the District
to see the work executed.

Wm L Shinn
Middlesex & Dorset
Shirts

The Committee upon the petition of
Henry Kiss & William Shinn that a
drain or common sewer be made in
Middlesex & Dorset streets & Belfair
place - reported that it is expedient
that the prayer thereof be granted.

Read and accepted.

Darrows,

Voted, that five dollars being
the City's moiety of the fine received
of Andrew Darrows for letting a dog run
at large contrary to law be permitted
because it appears that he kept said
dog in his yard and he got out by
mistake.

Winthrop
and that

Voted, that Thomas L. Winthrop
Esq. be repaid the whole expense of the
making the drain in Townsend street.

the Medals

The Mayor reported, that he had
paid One hundred dollars for two Gold
Medals, and filed the vouchers, & he requested
that a sum might be made of the
same. - Orders accordingly.

~~Resolved~~, That Aldermen Stinson,
Dove and Eddy, be appointed
provide, wood for the use of the City
and County.

New England
Bank,
Rice

Resolved, That the Mayor be required
to see that the New England Bank, and
Army Rice, make their cellar doors
according to law.

Bowdoin Faneuil
Hall,

Resolved, That the Society for relief
purposes, have liberty to borrow some
benches from Faneuil Hall to use on
Sundays evenings to be returned on
demand. To be used in the Hall over
the Ship Market.

Licenses

License to Amos Howe, Retailer
granted.

Leyrus Pratt's application for a
Faneuil Hall's license not granted.

Warrant drawn upon the Treasurer for the
of accounts agreed. The date, ~~1818~~ 1819
Adjourned to Thursday next at
4 o'clock P.M. Attest

J. M. Cleary, Clerk.

Thursday September 4th 1823.

Present - The whole board except Alderman
Childs.

Wayward -
Clerk of the
Market

Caleb Hayward Esq. Clerk of the Market re-
leases to the City, his proposition as informer
of the ^{several} forfeitures for breaches of the laws regulat-
ing the Market. Voted, to accept the
same.

Manchard -

Petition of Edward Blanchard relative
to widening Summer street read & committed
to Aldermen Odiorne, Benjamin & Eddy to
consider & report.

Wors -
Newark Land

Petition of Winslow Lewis, relative to
Land under the ropewalks, bottom of the
Common, read & committed to the Mayor,
Aldermen Benjamin & Hooper, to consider
the whole subject, relative to the Rope-
walk lands, and report thereon.

Hayward -
Clerk of the
Market

Caleb Hayward Esq. Clerk of the
Market releases to the City his proposition
as informer of all forfeitures for breaches of
the laws regulating the Market, amount
read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne &
Wors to consider & report.

Mepenger

Petition of Daniel Mepenger, Esq. relating to his share, owned by him in the City of Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin Dorr & Patterson, to consider & report.

Colting

Petition of Amos Colting, Esq. relating to his share, owned by him in the City of Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Adair & Benjamin, to consider.

Savage

Record of Births

Memorial of James Savage, Esq. relating to carrying into effect the law requiring Parents to cause the Births of their Children to be recorded. Read & committed to Alderman Hooper to consider & report.

Lewis

Petition of Thomas Lewis, relating to a building standing on B street in South Boston, read & committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooper, to consider & report.

Sullivan

Veto, that the demand of the City against Mr. Sullivan, viz. the repayment to the Mayor, with prison to state such measures as he may think expedient, relative to same.

Essex street

Resolved, That the Mayor, Aldermen, & Justices of the Peace, be a committee to consider the subject of the side walk in Essex street & the dangerous state of the same, opposite the Female Academy belonging to this City.

Essex
Northampton St.

Petition of Nathaniel Dorr, to have a hole filled up on Northampton Street, the expense of which to be borne by the petitioner and the City. Read & committed to the Committee on Market Lands to consider and report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred.

Common
Land

Resolved, That Messrs. Edmund Manchester, Ephraim & Joseph David Rice, Jacob Hale, and John Ladd, be commissioners to appraise the land belonging to John Timson near Timson Street taken to widen Mill Lane so called. Said commissioners being mutually chosen.

Notes

The Committee upon the petition of Adena Bates, reported, that said Bates is allowed to use the piece of land prayed for

on Fort Hill, by paying there, the sum
of five dollars per month & having the
ground when done. Read & accepted.

Howe
Fort Hill

The Committee on the application
of Call J. Howe, to have a wall built on
Fort Hill, reported that it is expedient
to have such a wall built as said Howe
requests, whereon he ~~may~~ shall agree to pay
half the expense of building the same, & the
other half will be built on half on
his land, & the other half on the land of the
city. Read & accepted.

Austin

The Committee to whom was referred
the petition of James T. Austin Esq. Father
to have an alteration in the Supreme Judicial
court room. Reported that the prayer
of the petitioners might not be granted.
Read & accepted. (not done for reasons)
(came up concurred)

Howe

Petition of William Howe, Esq. for
that where construction of banks & gardens
in yards but the may be prohibited from using
the same in the streets. Read Committee to be
Mayor & Aldermen Hope to examine report.

Baron

The Committee on the Petition of John F. Bacon, Thomas, to extend May street to Hancock street that it is inexpedient to grant the same. Read and accepted.

Hayward

Memoir of George Hayward, relative to the value of the land belonging to him to widen Orange street. Read and voted, that the Petitioner take his course by law, if he does not accept the amount offered by the City.

Oliver

Petition of Henry J. Oliver Johnson, to have Spring street widened near the corner of Benchman's Lane. Read & committed to the Mayor & Aldermen Baxter, to consider and report.

Beltknap Oliver
Turner and
Bowdoin streets

The Committee appointed to take the Turn and Bowdoin streets, reported, that they have attended to the said subject, that the land is taken & that as to the taking down of the old frame fence they have had a communication with the Governor's Council & find that they are unauthorized. Read & accepted.

Licenses
granted.

Thomas Wightman, and John
Delaware were licensed as Vintners.

Hayward
Clerk of
Market

Report of the Committee on the
accounts of Lealib Hayward Clerk of the
Market. ~~Report~~ That they find his acc^t
for the month of August amounts to
\$440.27. The balance \$68.75 paid
^{by Treas.} into Rep. 1. 1823 balance said acc^t
read and accepted.

Adjourned to Monday next 4 o'clock
John Allen
C. M. Cleary Secy. Sec.

Monday September 8th 1823.

Present The whole board, except Alderman Child.

Swell

Complaint of William B. Swell relation to water running into his cellar committed to Alderman Childs and Dorr.

Johnson

Petition of Daniel Johnson for an exchange of land in South Margin street. Also for liberty to dig a well in Pitts street. Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr to consider & report.

Coffin

Petition of William Coffin, Junr. Wm. for lamps in Orange Court, read and committed to Aldermen Baxter & Hooper to consider & report.

Pool &
Hawes

Petition of Lot Pool, & Joseph Hawes for a common sewer in Chamber street Read & committed to Aldermen Osborn & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Loring &
Ingalls

Petition of Seth Loring & Ebn R. Ingalls, to hire a piece of land on Mernum street, ^{read & committed to Ald. Childs & Dorr} to consider & report.

Old State
House

Ordered, That Aldermen Child & Dorr
be a committee to consider the propriety
of removing the steps on the north side
of the Old State house, and of paving
street on that side of said House

Poplar street

Ordered, That Aldermen Odiorne &
Benjamin, be a committee to consider
the propriety of crowning Poplar street
as to raise the grade gutter. —

Armory at
Faneuil
Hall

Resolved, That Aldermen Dorr and
Benjamin, be a committee to consider the
subjects of the Public Armory at Faneuil
Hall and public stores - and report

Side walks
in
Oliver street

Resolved, That the subject of the side
walks in front of Messrs. Leffland & Sons
in Oliver street, with power to do what
Justice requires - be committed to Aldermen
Odiorne, Benjamin & Sully.

Auctioneer

Resolved, That the subject of auction
Auctioneer, be referred to the Mayor.

Goddard,
Kingston St.

Nathaniel Goddard's proposition to widen
Kingston Street - committed to the com-
mittee on the petition of Stephen Cushing,
for saluam lotum
to consider & report viz. Ald. Baxter, Chas. & Don.

Front St.

The subject of the line of Front Street
and the encroachments on the same and the
streets and docks that crop said street
committed to the Mayor & the Common-
Council Aldermen Baxter and Foster.

Left, associates

The vote and doings of the Corporation
called the Left associates relative to the
side walks on Elm Street. Read and
committed to the Mayor. to consider &
report.

McSpencer.

Petition of William Liffin and others
Daniel McSpencer, others, relative to the
state of the Newbury street, near Kingston
Market, in consequence of laying water
pipes, and to dirt have accumulated
Read & referred to the Mayor.

Werne.

sum spent
p. \$2.

Petition of Arthur D. Wern, to be
licensed to give a concert at Park St. Hall
Read, & the prayer thereof granted upon pay-
ment of two dollars.

Brown
Salmon street

²⁴ Election of Stephen Brown relative
to obstructions in Salmon street. Resolved
committed to the Mayor.

Wheeler's
Dock

Representation from the board of Fire
relative to insurance in Dock at Wheeler's
wharf in Fish street. Resolved committed
to the Mayor. Aldermen Patterson & Eddy.

Walley

²⁵ Resolved that the Mayor take into
consideration the subject of paving side walk
near School house Middle street in front
of "Map" corner of Walley and George
streets.

Real estates

Order of the Common Council
appointing Messrs E. Williams, George Perry
& Sprague, with such as the board of Aldermen
might join, be a committee to take
into consideration the expediency of appraising
all real estates that may be increased in
value by the widening of streets, & other
improvements a proportion of the expense of
improvement & repair. Came up for con-
sideration Read & concurred, the Mayor
Aldermen Benjamin Eddy in joined.

Ellis

Petition of David Ellis, Farmers, relative
to the junction of Front & Mainford streets,
read & committed to the Mayor.

Fish Street

The subject of obstructions in Fish
street near Wheeler's wharf committed to
the Mayor Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Order of
Correction

An ordinance to authorize the Treasurer
to borrow a sum of money for the
use of the City to build a house of Correction
passed to be enrolled in concurrence with
the Common Council.

Births of
Children to be
Recorded

The Committee on the representation of
James Cheag, relative to recording births of
Children reported, that the Mayor be re-
quested to give public notice of the law
and that it will be strictly enforced.
Read & accepted.

James
Obstructions in
B St.

The Committee on the communication
of Andrew A Jones relative to obstructions
in B Street South Ward reported, that
Thomas H. Cairns, have notice sent to him
to remove his buildings from said street in
six weeks.
Read & accepted.

Thursday September 11th 1823.
Present The whole board.

Hyde.

Petition of Sally Hyde, to be appointed pump keeper in Well street, lately vacated by the death of her late husband. Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dove with liberty to appoint such person as a pump keeper as they may think fit.

Wright.

Petition of John Wright to be appointed Field driver & pump keeper at the above place. Read & committed to the above mentioned Committee, with power as above expressed.

Blanchard.

Petition of Edward Blanchard to have the line of Sumner street set back in line with the buildings he is about erecting. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

Rossiter.

Petition of Samuel B. Rossiter to have a street accepted leading from South Allen street to Poplar street. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

Brinney

Petition of Amos Brinney to erect
Arches under the side walks in Summer
street Road & committed to Aldermen
Brim & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Welsh

Petition of Thomas Welsh Senior,
for compensation for land taken to widen
Elm street, which he contends, belonged to
him. Road & committed to Aldermen
Child, Dorr and Hooper to consider &
report.

Cobb

Petition of Enos Cobb, to have
his license as an Auctioneer renewed. Road
& committed to Aldermen Child, Dorr &
Hooper, to hear the parties and report a
state of facts.

Smith

Resolved, that Aldermen Patterson, Eddy
& Hooper, be a committee to call upon
Evanzer Smith, to execute the lease of a
two pieces of Mill pond land, and pay
the rent agreeable thereto,

Doyle

Petition of David M. Doyle to be ap-
pointed Superintendent of the Pump in Wall Street
Road & committed to Aldermen Child, &
Dorr.

Trespasses in
B st.

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Baister & Hooper be a Committee to take
into consideration the subject, persons trespassing
on B street South Boston, by digging & carrying
away the clay from the same.

Treasurer to
borrow money

Enrolled ordinance, to authorize the
Treasurer to borrow a sum of money for
use of the City, to build a house of re-
creation. Passed.

Poplar St.

The Committee to whom was referred
the subject of repairing Poplar street,
reported that it would be a saving of
expense to pave said street rather than
to gravel it. Read & accepted. Ordered
that the same be gravelled under the
direction of the Committee of that
district.

Johnson

The Committee on the Petition of
Daniel Johnson, for liberty to dig a
well in Fifth street. Reported, that
the prayer of said Petition be granted
under such terms as the Mayor and
Aldermen may direct. Read & accepted.

Electors
Room

An ordinance to authorize the
erection of a building to accommodate the
Electors ~~in Ward 3~~ ^{in Ward no 3}, and for other pur-
poses. ^{in Ward no 3} Proposed to be enrolled in con-
sensus with the Common Council. —

Books &
Maps

The Committee to whom was referred
the report of the School Committee on books
or necessary for the public schools. Reported
that three hundred dollars be granted & for
the purpose of purchasing Globes & maps for
the public schools. Read & accepted.

Just down for consensus
Came up concurred.

Coffin
Orange Court

The Committee on the Petition of
William Coffin Junior & others, for a lump sum
Orange Court. Reported that it is inex-
pedient to grant the prayer of the petition
the said Coffin being private property.

Read and accepted

Will Pond
Lot to be
enclosed

The Committee on the subject of raising
a piece of vacant land, on the Will Pond, ground
for the purpose of enclosing the same, for the deposit
of various gravestones &c. Reported that the same
be enclosed under the direction of the Committee
of that District. Read & accepted.

Arches under

Side walks

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of having those Citizens who wish to build arches in front of their houses under the side walks. Reported that the sum of ten cents for each superficial foot be appropriated by the person or persons to whom such privilege shall be granted, and the side walks be kept in perfect repair, and the arches shall be built under the direction of the Aldermen to the approbation of the Mayor & Aldermen to be discontinued by said board of public improvement. Read & accepted

Old State
House
Marlboro' St.

Voted, That the north side of Old State House be repaired, or repaired as also the south side of the South Church & aparts of Marlboro' St. to be done under the direction of the Committee of the district.

Cooper St.

Voted, That Cooper Street - That of Bond Street be surveyed for the purpose of fixing the bounds of said streets.

Latin School

Voted. That the dirt & rubbish be cleared from the cellar of the Latin School under the direction of the Committee of the district.

Shaw
nde St.

Petition of Cape Shaw, for leave to
stop up Lynde street, during the repairs
of Dr. Lowell's Meeting House. Read &
the prayer thereof granted.

Binney

Joshua Binney appointed measurer
of wood on Canal bridge.

Old State
House steps

The committee on the subject of
removing the steps on the north side of
the Old State House reported that said
steps be removed, and new ones substituted
similar to those on the south side.

Read & accepted.

James granted

Wm. P. Capowell and Luke Sawyer
licensed as Vintners.

Beate, bin

Voted that the exception to the
license granted to James A. Deitser, for the
sale of liquors for the sale within the walls
of the Beate during the hours of performance
be so far amended that said exception shall
be the Valley of St. Michael, ~~and~~ not only.

Wingham

The bill for the repair of the
Wingham Stage the same being damaged
in the Market place be committed to Aldermen
Child & Down.

Physician
to
Gaol

Report of the Board, of amounts
the subject of appointing a Physician to
Gaol. Read and committed to select
men proper to consider and report.

Burnham

Petition of Julius Burnham to be
appointed Jumps Keeper in Well Street
committed to the Committee on that
Subject.

Sep. 15. 1823.
Certif. of ^{oath} Wm. Filston
I Wm. Filston \$1.

Adjourned to Monday next 4 O'Clock
P.M.
Attest
J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday September 15th 1823.

Present. The whole board.

Enos Cobb, licenced as an Auctioneer.

Report of the Committee on the petition of David Ruapp. To have, that Freedom street be paved. Read & accepted, upon condition that two feet of land be given in to that street to be widened said street.

Petition of Free Hofmaster, to be licenced to exhibit a live animal called Hippopotamus, or land Water horse, an Arabian Sheep, and a Brazilian monkey at the Fortune Coffee House. Read & the prayer thereof granted upon paying five dollars per week.

Petition of Luke Thomas to be licenced, to exhibit at Concert Hall, a painting of the Shipwreck of the Albion. Read & the prayer thereof granted upon paying one dollar per month.

Petition of Wm M. S. Doyle, to have licenced to exhibit an Indian Chief at the Columbian Museum. Read & the prayer thereof granted upon paying two dollars per week.

Jackson

Petition of William Jackson, concerning side walks in Warren street Read & committed to Aldermen Barton & Hooker

Davis

Petition of Gilman Davis, to move a post at the corner of House No. 3 Orange street. Read & committed to Aldermen Barton & Hooker

Lyman

Petition of Theodore Lyman & relation to a drain in Middle street. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin.

Hayward

Petition of George Hayward, relation to land taken to widen Orange & Elm streets. Read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Hooker.

Hartwell

Petition of W^m Hartwell, to be loan an auctioneer in Ann street. Read & committed to Aldermen Don ~~Ed~~ Eddy & Parker to consider & report.

Mill pond
land

Voted, that Aldermen Odiorne & Eddy, be a committee to consider the application of Mr. Wentworth in procuring land in front of Mr. Wentworth's on Pine street address Peter Wamsough

River
to that State street new numbered. Read from
to Alderman Child & Dorr, with an
authority, to have said street numbered
if they think fit.

annure
will pond
Voted, That Aldermen Eddy & Pottem
be authorized to cause the annure on the
Mill Pond land to be sold at public
Auction.

Valley
Petition of Samuel H. Waller, in
behalf of the American board of Commissioners
for foreign Missions, for the use of the
missionary board room, for the meeting of
said board. Read & the prayer thereof
granted.

clock
Voted, That Alderman Benjamin be
added to the Committee on the petition of
Thomas Welch Junr. relative to land taken
to widen Elm street.

Engine in
Purchase
Voted, That the Committee of the
district be instructed to build the Engine
House in purchase street in the place where it
was first contemplated.

Johnson

Merrimack St.
South Margin St.

Report of the Committee on the
Petition of Daniel Johnson, that the Mayor
be authorized to straighten the line between the
City & D. Johnson situated on South Margin
street, by exchanging land equally with him
sufficient to square the line, & that the
Mayor be empowered to give a quit
deed in behalf of the City to said Johnson
of as much land as may comport with
the true intent & meaning of this order.
I receive from said Johnson a good &
sufficient title of the land to be conveyed
to the City. Read & accepted

Put down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Loring & Angell

Merrimack St.

Report of the Committee on the
Petition of Seth Loring, and John K. Angell
that the Mayor be empowered to leave to
them a lot of land on Merrimack street
for a term of years, not exceeding five years
for a consideration, not less than one dollar
per foot per annum remaining unsummed
& paid, payable in quarterly payments.
Read & accepted

Put down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Cobb
Petition of Erwin Cobb, to have the restriction
of his Auction Room taken off, which prohibits
his selling in the rooming. Read & committed
to the Mayor, to consider & report.

Lyman
Petition of Brig. General Lyman, for
the use of the Common, for the inspection
review of the Brigade under his command
on Thursday the 22^d of October next. Read &
the prayer thereof granted.

Barley
Joseph Barley's bill of \$30 against the
City allowed.

Hingham Stage
The Committee on application of the owner
of the Hingham Stage, for damages in
consequence of said Stage being broken in the
market place. Reported that \$50 dollars be
allowed for all damage & expense.

Apothecaries
The Mayor in the Notice of the fifty
Apothecaries reported that it is inexpedient to
lay them upon the subject. accepted

Shrews, retailers
Joseph Shrews, retailers, George W. Wilkins
and Edmund Town Ticketall, were licensed.

Engine house
Voted, that the Committee appointed to
to build an Engine house in Wrentham shall be
authorized to build it at the plan first submitted.

Common issues

Voted, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Edison, Child & Benjamin, be a com-
mittee to ascertain the expense of common
issues.

Doane sheet

Voted, That Alderman Child & Doane
be a committee to examine & report the
state of Doane sheet.

Blanchard

Edmund Blanchard's petition withdrawn.

Adjourned to Thursday next 4th Clock
Pm. Attest
Wm. W. C. City Clerk

Thursday September 18th 1823.

Present. The whole board, except Alderman
Dorr.

Wells

Petition of John Wells, to have a
lamp placed at the corner of Charter
& Foster streets. Read and committed
to Alderman Eddy Patterson, to consider
and report.

Minson

Voted, that Messrs Charles Wells and
James Davis, be substituted to appraise
the land taken from John Minson, to
widen Thacker street, instead of Jacob
Hall and Edmund Winchester.

Gibbons

Petition of Daniel L. Gibbons, Col^l
2^d Reg. 3 Brig. 1 Div. for liberty for
the Officers to train horses on the
Common. Read & committed to the
Mayor, Alderman Benjamin H. Hooper
to consider & report.

Bank

mutual

insurance Co.

Petition of Massachusetts Bank & Mass. a-
mutual, mutual fire insurance to open a drain in
Corn Court. Read & committed to Alderman
Child & Dorr, with liberty to do what
may seem to them expedient.

Elliot
Lionel - paid
p. 82.
Petition of John Elliot for alimony
to exhibit his works. Read & the prayer
thereof granted, for one night, upon
paying two dollars.

Brattle street
Church
Communication of the Committee
of Brattle street Church, relative to
the fence round their house of worship.
Read & committed to the Mayor, Alder
Benjamin Hooper, to consider & report.

Austin
Petition of James T. Austin to have
his drain enlarged ~~into~~ in Common street
Read & committed to Aldermen ^{Brady} ~~Benjamin~~
^{Hooper} to consider & report.

Kendall
Stanford st.
Petition of Thomas Kendall &
others, to have Stanford street paved.
Read & committed to Aldermen Child
Dorr, to consider & report.

Creek square
Voted, That the ^{building} ~~Committee~~ in Creek
square be committed to the Mayor -
Aldermen, Patterson, Eddy & Hooper, to
consider & report.

Short and
Bedford Str.

Ordered, that Aldermen Baxter, &
Hooper with such as the Common Council
may join, be a committee to consider the
propriety of purchasing a piece of land in
Short and Bedford streets, and report.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up con-
curred. The Common Council joined on
its past Mep^r. Amory, Wright & Lincoln

Watson

Report of the Committee on the
petition of John Watson, to have a piece of
land in South Margin street, that the City
leave to the said Watson for five years
as much of the City's land on said street
as he may want for the sum of one dollar
per foot on said street. Draining back
to the lands leased by the City, fifty ft
more or less. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Davis

Gilman Davis, has leave to set up
a stall at the corner of House No 30
Braun's street, agreeable to the report
of the Committee.

Beltknap -
Lincoln St.

The Committee on the Petition of
The Beltknap. Whereas, to have Lincoln St.
paved; Reported, that said Street be
paved. Read & accepted.

Warlow -
South St.

The Committee on the Petition of
Thomas Warlow. Whereas, to have South St.
paved - Reported, that it is unnecessary
to pave the same. Read & accepted.

Marshall -

Petition of John Marshall, read to be
compensated for preparing fine works on the
15th July last. Read & committed to the
Mayor, and Alderman Rogers to consider
& report.

Wales
Whelan's point

The Committee on the Petition of
Thomas P. Wales. Whereas, to have the
street near Whelan's point repaved -
Reported, that said Street is not in a
situation to be accepted; that when the
municipal works make the side walks
said Street, & pave the middle in order
the satisfaction of the managers of the
Highway Board that said Street be
accepted down as far as the sign
at the end of a little below Barney
Wells' House. Read & accepted.

1866

On the Petition of Eben Cobb, the
board, reconsider their former vote in granting
him to sell Cobb as an Auctioneer, &
also, which prohibits his selling in the
Evening.

Auctioneers

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Belcher, and Foster, be ~~a~~ with such
as the Common Council may form, be a
Committee to consider the propriety of prohib-
iting Auctioneers, selling goods before sun rise, &
after of sun set - and report. Put down
for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Com-
mon Council joined on its part Messrs Shaw,
Wainlaw, Lewis Wright.

Could

The Committee on the Petition of
Thomas Gould, Reported, that the City
have to and Gould the triangular lot, of land
situated near the southern end of Green Dragon
Lane for five years, for \$100 per ann. &
relinquishing to the City at any time during
the continuance of his lease so much of the
most easterly part of said land as the City
may require for widening said lane without
any diminution of rent. Read & accepted.
Put down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Enkins

Petition of Joseph Enkins concerning
the level of Broadin street read and
committed to Aldermen Bork, Sullivan &
Eddy to consider and report.

Lewis
Engines

Petition of Wm Lewis in behalf
the Eugene Companies read for additional
part. Read and committed to the
Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne & Eddy, with
such as the Common Council may join
to consider & report. Sent down for a
conference. Came up concurred, & the Com-
mittee joined on its part. Messrs C. Wilbur,
Oliver, Adams & Wales.

Westminster
Bridge

Petition of the Proprietors of West-
minster bridge to have the west end of
Cambridge street paved. Read and the
Mayor thereof ^{not} granted, the board being of
opinion that it belongs to said Proprietors
to keep in repair that part of Cambridge
street which was former part of said
bridge.

River
Hale street

The Committee on the Petition of
Francis J. Oliver to have a state street now under
reported, said street be now numbered and the
said street, and orders that the same be done
under the direction of the Committee of the

Olive
Chesnut
streets
Petition of Harrison G. Ohi, Esq. to
have the gutters paved, in Olive & Chesnut
streets - read & committed to Aldermen
Edwards and Benjamin, to consider & report

Lincoln
subside. that
The Committee to whom was referred
the Petition of Roman Lincoln, Others, on
the subject of continuing the pavement
from the west end, of Cambridge street to
the bridge - reported (as a file) &
read & accepted

Exet street
Voted, That the Committee of the
Sized District be authorized to build a
fence in Exet street, and enquire into the
situation of the land belonging to the City
in said street. -

Buttrick St.
Voted, That Aldermen Edwards and
Benjamin, be committed on the subject of
paving Buttrick street also on improving
Spring lane

in in Common
Voted, That the subject of the drain
in Common street be committed to the Com-
mittee who have under consideration the
petition of James T. Weston, on the same
subject.

Foot ball. Voted, That the City Clerk cause
to be published in the News papers, the
bylaw of the town of Boston against be-
having foot ball in the public street.

Licensing. Michael Shanley was licensed
a Victualler at South Boston.

Spring Lane. Voted, That the order of repair
Spring Lane be committed to Aldermen
Child and Dorr, to consider & report.

Adjourned to Monday, next, 4
o'clock P.M.

Attest

C. McEliane, City Clerk

Monday September 22^d 1823.

^{2d} Present The whole board except Alderman
Dove.

34 Smors drawn for Court of Common Pleas

34 Smors drawn for Municipal Courts.

On the Petition of Daniel L. Gibbons
Father Officers of the 2^d Reg^t 3^d Div. 1st Dis.
of Militia, the Committee are discharged
and thereupon Ordered, that the prayer
of said Petition be granted.

Lewis Tappan's amount allowed
Wm Hayden Jr's amount allowed

^{2d} Petition of Cornelius Coolidge, relating
to two houses erected in Chestnut street,
in which two steps project into the
street and praying that the same may
be allowed them to project. Read &
Committed to Aldermen Odiorne, and
Benjamin, with liberty to do what
may be necessary therein.

^{2d} Voted, That thirty dollars, be allowed
to Mr. Warrall, in full for his bill
in preparing fire works.

Washington.

Communication from Dr. J. D. Hunt
relative to the wide stones across the
ends of streets some of which have been
smooth so as to endanger the lives
of pedestrians - Read & committed
to Alderman Patterson.

Fisk

Washington st.

Petition of William Fisk to open
a drain in Washington street. Read and
committed to the Committee of the District
viz. Aldermen Baxter & Hooper.

School house

Ward 6.

The Committee on the subject of
a school house in Ward No 6. Reported that
there is a favorable site for that purpose
on Pinkney street in the rear of Mrs. C.
& Mrs. Humphreys dwelling houses, & that
the same contains nearly ten thousand square
feet of land, & may be purchased for
\$5262. They therefore recommend that the
Committee be authorized to close a bargain
for the same, forthwith. It is that
title be clear, & the deed sufficient.

Read & accepted, & ordered that the same
Committee ~~also~~ be authorized to complete
the same. Resolved so far that the
Committee be authorized to purchase an
of the land as they may see fit.

Smith
The Committee, appointed to consider a report upon the petition of Ebenezer Smith reported, that it is expedient so far to alter the terms on which certain Mills, farm lands, are now held of the City by said Smith as to provide in the lease, that on the condition that said Smith shall erect on said land good three story buildings of brick or stone to be used either as Mechanics Shops, Store or dwelling houses the City will at the expiration of the term of twenty four years, let them return, either purchase the said buildings at a fair appraisement of 0.25 Smith, his heirs or assigns at a fair appraisement. Read & accepted.

... Sent down for concurrence.
... Came up concurred with an amendment.

Read & nonconcurres.
Reminded & concurred vide Dec. 8. 1823.

The Mayor communicated to the City Council the following message -

Gentlemen of the City Council,
I have received from Mr. Committee of the Town of Wiscasset Talna in the State of Maine a communication relative to the extraordinary desolation occasioned by fire in

in their vicinity. Under the circumstances
that exist, in conformity with the wishes
the members of those Committees, I deem it
my duty to submit this communication to
the City Council, to the end that the same
to be adopted in their affecting dispo-
sition, may be referred to their wisdom.

Wm. Quincy

Read & committed to the Mayor, &
then Mayor. Ordered. That the City
Council as the Common Council may jointly
consider & report. Sent down for
concurrence. Came up concurred, and the
Common Council joined on its part. Messrs.
Angus, Howard, Loomis, Bates, Wendell &
Perry.

House of
Industry

A communication was received
from the Overseers of the Poor, relative
to the House of Industry. It was read
which was read & sent down.

Overseers of
Poor.

The Committee appointed to super-
vise, said the Overseers of the Poor
making the necessary transfers & arrange-
ments relative to the Poor, in relation

The House at South Boston - made a
Report as an ^{order} - which was read,
I sent down.

Ward House -
No 3

An ordinance to authorize the
erection of a building to accommodate the
schools for other purposes in Ward No 3.
passed.

^{Resolved} That Aldermen Child, Mania
min and Eddy be a committee to super-
intend the building in Ward No 3.
agreeable to the ordinance of the City Council.

Oliver

The committee on the petition of
Henry J. Oliver, to widen Benchman's
lane - reported that it is expedient;
provided that it be done to the satisfaction
of the committee of the district, and that the
city shall pay but one half of all costs
and that half shall not exceed two hundred
dollars. Read & accepted.

Wells
Center st.

The committee to whom was referred
the petition of John Wells, reported, that the
prayer of the petition be granted, on condition

that he erect at his own expense a lamp
satisfactory to Mr Morgan the Superintendent
which needed to be lighted at the expense
of the City. Resolved & accepted.

Hinchley &
Ellis

Noted that Stephen Hooper Sec.
be authorized to defend the action brought
by David Hinchley & Luther Ellis against
Nathan Hastings - at the Court of Common
Pleas first Tuesday of October next -
in behalf of the City.

Adams

Communication of Josiah Adams
concerning Richard Walsby's making a
grave in the street - Resolved & committed to
the Mayor.

Marsh

Resolution of Ephraim Marsh concerning
Common Sewer, that it may be continued
from Pleasant Street to Court Street. Resolved
& committed to the Mayor. Aldermen Do
Hild.

Pago

The Committee reported on the petition
of Calvin Pago. That they had paid
Garden Street.

Clark

The Mayor reported on the petition
of Deponden Clark. Others, concerning books
standing in Central street. That he has made
arrangements which it is hoped will be
satisfactory to all concerned.

Peter Francis was licensed as a
retailer.

Adjourned to Monday next 4
o'clock P.M. Attest
E. M. Selman, City Clerk.
2223

Thursday September 25th 1823.

^{7^A}Present. The whole board, except Aldermen Child and Dover.

Tremont St.
Sewer

Return of the expense of a common sewer in the northerly end of Tremont street, extending from opposite the Gate of Mrs Wolcott, and thence to the sewer in Court street, and the same was apportioned upon the several persons entering the same or receiving benefit thereby - as at large set forth in the book of Common sewers

Myrtle street
Sewer

Return of the expense of a common sewer leading from Myrtle street to connect with the Common sewer in Court street and the same was apportioned upon the several persons entering the same or receiving benefit thereby - as at large set forth in the book of Common sewers

Timson.

The referees appointed to appraise the land of John Timson, in March when made a report - which was read and not accepted, and referred to the May Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to concur in report.

Cushing

Petition of Ezekiel Cushing, Jotter
praying that Temple street may be widened
and extended across the Hill to Summer
street - Read - and thereupon Ordered,
that the surveyor of highways lay out
said street accordingly.

Apepos

Petition of Mr. Apepos to be allowed
to copy the Apepos books -
Read & committed to Aldermen Eddy and
Catterson, to consider & report.

Convent

Petition of Ann Leonard to be licensed
as an Innholder. Read & committed to
the Mayor Aldermen Baxter & Hooper
to consider & report. which committed report
that it is inexpedient. Read, & accepted.

Three

Petition of Joshua Lehave, to be
licensed as a distiller. Read & not
granted.

Common Sewers

Resolved, That the Mayor & the
Annual Committee of the ^{Sewer} districts, be
appointed committees to assess the costs of
making Common Sewers, in their respective
Districts.

Franklin St.
Pump

Voted, that Aldermen Child &
Dorr, be also committed to consider the
propriety of repairing the Pump in
Franklin street.

Phillips
Leverett St.

Petition of Turner Phillips in behalf
of the Proprietors of the Common Sewer
in Leverett street for liberty to sink a
reservoir. Read and the prayer thereof
granted to be ^{one} under the supervision
of the Superintendent of drains &c

Wells

Petition of Charles Wells, to have
a lamp placed in alcove leading from
Leicester street. Read & committed to
Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider
report.

Adjourned to Monday next 11 A.M.
Mm. Meet
At the Library, City Hall

Monday September 20th 1895.

Present The whole Board except Aldermen
Adison and Borr.

Winter St.

~~Resolved~~ That the Mayor, Aldermen
Adison & Benjamin, be a Committee to take into
consideration the subject of encroachments on
Winter street.

Graves &
Common Sewers

~~Resolved~~ That the Mayor, Aldermen
Child & Benjamin, be a committee on
the subject of drains entering into Common
Sewers.

School House
and Co.

~~Resolved~~ That the Committee on location
of a school House in Ward No 6, be
authorized to change the location of the
same from the place first intended, and
that they be authorized to purchase a
piece of land in some other place in
said Ward.

Changes
to be made

Resolution of David McFarlane & others
praying that Wharfe Lane may be widened
or repaired, be committed to Aldermen
~~Adison~~ & ~~Benjamin~~ ^{Hooper} to consider the same.

Old Gaol.

~~Resolved~~ That the Committee upon the subject of the old Gaol, be authorized to cause the whole of said building to be taken down, the old brick wall and the old iron to be sold.

Washington St.

~~Resolved~~ That Alderman Barber be authorized to cause the loose stones to be removed from Washington street.

How Horse

~~Resolved~~ That Alderman Child be appointed on the Committee on the Allowance in the name of Alderman Dorr.

Spring Lane

~~Resolved~~ That Alderman Dorr be authorized to repair Spring Lane.

Green

~~Petition~~ of Thomas Green for payment of a loan. He exhibited which is directed by him in writing Margai street. Resolved committed to Alderman Child & Dorr to consider & report.

Thomas

Dream of Love

~~Petition~~ of Luke Thomas, praying permission to exhibit at Concert Hall a painting called The dream of Love - Resolved committed to Alderman Child to consider & report.

Parkman

Petition of Samuel Parkman, Vt. Res.
praying that Boston that may be expended
Read and committed to Aldermen Adison
and Benjamin to consider and report.

First Vest
Common Sewer

Return of the expense of a common
sewer leading through Park Street
and the same was assessed upon
the several persons entering the same
or receiving benefit thereby - as at large
set forth in the book of common sewers.

Ed. Stone
and 12.

The Committee upon the subject of
locating the School House in Ward No 12,
reported, that a piece of land on Beattie
Street can be purchased for the above
purpose at a price not exceeding fifty cents
per square foot. Read & considered and
thereupon voted, that said house should
be authorized to purchase the said land &
construct the building.

Read.

Petition of David H. Briggs to him
a piece of land on Charles Street Read &
committed to Aldermen Adison & Benjamin to
consider & report.

Alms House. Order of the Common Council, viz.
House of Industry. The Committee who have under consideration
the removal of the inmates of the Alms
House in South Street to South Portland,
be requested, forthwith to remove, and
remove such numbers of the present
occupants as may in the opinion of
the Committee be necessary or convenient
for the use of the City in and about the
House of Industry at South Portland.
Came up for concurrence.
Read & concurred.

House of Industry. The Committee on the House of
Industry - made a report - which was
read and accepted, and thereupon Ordered
that the Mayor and Alderman Hooper
with such as the Common Council may
join, be a Committee on the subject of
the 4th Vote on the powers & authorities
of the Overseers of the Poor, and do
for concurrence. Came up for concurrence.
The Common Council joined on it, at
Mr. J. C. Savage, Clerk, Alder.

House of
Industry

Communication of the Directors of the
House of Industry relation to labourers
wanted to labour at South Boston
Read & sent down

House of
Industry

The Rules & Orders for the govern-
ment of the House of Industry, Read
from the Directors. Read & sent down

Waltham

Smith, Waltham for a linen for an
instruction read & committed to Mr. Eddy & Parker.

Waltham granted

Joseph Adams and William Barnes
were licensed as Trustees.

Waltham

Waltham

Waltham

Report of the Committee on the
subject of the Conflagration in the town of
Waltham and Alna - That a contribution be
recommended in the several Churches next Sunday
and that the - and a subscription be opened for the relief
of the sufferers. Read & committed.

Waltham

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Sent down for consideration

Came up for consideration

Common Council joined in its part Messrs Amory, Shaw,
Wills, Davis, and William Winslow.

Advised to Wednesday next 14th

Attest

J. M. Collins, Secy

Waltham

Wednesday Oct. 1st 1823.

Present. The whole board except Aldermen
The Mayor - Aldermen Baxter, Child, Benjamin,
Patterson and Eddy.

Hogresive

Robert Ripley was nominated, and
appointed, Hogresive, Hayward, and Hills
driver.

Put down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Lawin Dyar

Petition of Lawin Dyar to have the
Old South Clock repaired. Read and
committed to Aldermen Child & Eddy
to consider & report.

Davis

Orange Lane

Petition of Samuel Davis, Votthers,
to have lamps lighted in Orange Lane.
Read, and committed to Aldermen Rose
& Horner, to consider & report. The Committee
reported, that the prayer be granted. accepted.

South Margin
St.

Resolved, that Aldermen Child & Dor
be requested to enquire ~~into~~ if South
Margin street has been accepted by
the City.

Wells

Charles St.

The committee appointed on the part
of Charles Wells, that a lamp be lighted
in a court leading from Charles street -
Report

Reported the prayer of the Petition be granted. Read and accepted.

Irwin,

South Margin
St.

The Committee on the Petition of Thomas Irwin, for a lamp to be lighted in South Margin street. Reported, that if said Irwin will place the lamp in question on the corner of South Margin street & York street, after feet from where it is now placed, they recommend that the same be lighted at the City's expense & not otherwise. Read & accepted.

Winter St.

The Committee on obstructions in Winter street: reported that there is an obstruction, and the Committee has directed it to be removed. Read and accepted.

Cushing

The Committee on the Petition of Ezekiel D. Cushing, reported that he had caused the flag stones complained of to be spiked in grooves.

School House

Ward No. 12.

Voted, That the Committee on the School House at to be built in Ward No. 12. act under the principle that the Franklin School is to be discontinued.

Thomas

The Committee on the Petition of
Luke Thomas to exhibit a painting
called the dream of Love, - reported that
the prayer thereof be not granted.
Read & accepted.

Flag Stones

Voted, That Alderman Patterson be
authorized to cause to be grooved any
of the Flag stones of the City that
he may think fit.

Trinson's
Land

The referees appointed to appraise the
land taken to widen Thacher Street belong-
ing to John Trinson made a report which
was read and accepted.

Picewards

Communication from the Picewards
relative to a building on Pleasant Street
used for making Cartridges. Read and
committed to the Mayor, to consider &
report.

Fenno
Vitrification

William Fenno was licensed as
Vitrification.

Adjourned to Monday next, at
4 o'clock P.M. Wm. West.

J. M. McKim, City Sec.

15. 1st
Warrant.

Warrant drawn upon the City
Treasury for the monthly draft as
made up and examined by the
Committee on accounts amounting
to ~~\$10051.10~~ ¹¹ \$18,978.90.

Warrant drawn upon the City
Treasury for the accounts against
the County of Suffolk, amounting to
\$2025.24. —

Alms House

The Committee who were directed to
take into consideration the best mode to be adopted
for the sale & disposal of the Alms house, in
Levi's street and to report to the City Council.
The result of their inquiries upon the subject having
taken the same into consideration reported as on
file.

Read & accepted.

Put down for concurrence

Came up concurred

Adjourned to Monday next 4,
o'clock P.M.

Attest
E. J. McCleary, City Clerk

Monday October 6th 1823.
Present, the whole board. ~~except~~
~~Aldermen~~

Halls in
Faneuil Hall
Market

~~Agreed~~
Voted, That Aldermen Baxter, Cobie
and Patterson, be a committee to take
consideration, the subject of the lease of
Halls in Faneuil Hall Market.

Wood Hider
stands

~~Agreed~~
Voted, That the subject of the
wood Hider stands, be referred to
the Mayor.

Roberts &
Dupre

~~Agreed~~
Petition of John Roberts & Isaac
Dupre, for a common sewer to be
built or repaired in Friend street
read & committed to Aldermen Cobie
Borr, Patterson & Eddy, to consider &
report.

Elm & Hanover
street

~~Agreed~~
Voted, That the subject of the
building at the ^{north} corner of Elm & Hanover
street be referred to Aldermen Cobie, Eddy
& Benjamin.

Proctor &
Willis...
Jackson

Petition of Proctor & Willis, John
Jackson, praying that they may
be exempted from numbering their Hacks
& that the fee for license may be
be permitted. Read & committed to
Aldermen Dorr, Patterson & Eddy, to
consider & report.

School House
and No 12.

~~Proctor~~
Voted, to reconsider the former
vote, which located the School House in
Leaslie Street - and that the reports of the
former committee be referred to the
School Committee for their advice
thereon.

over and
Robinson

Voted, that Alderman Hooper be
authorized to appear & defend an action
brought against Elisha W. Gibson & George
Robinson at the suit of Roxana Mowry
in a plea of trespass.

Palmer's
account

Mr Palmer's account referred to
Aldermen Odium & Dorr

Washington St.

Voted, that the subject of the loose
stones in Washington Street be referred to
Alderman Baxter to cause the same to be removed

Hayward's
aut.

Caleb Hayward, Clerk of the Mar-
sement, read & committed to Aldermen
Patterson and Eddy, to consider & report.

Bulfinch

Petition of Jeremiah Bulfinch, relative
to the award of referees ~~rel~~ for land tax
to widen Pine Street - Read & committed
to the Mayor Aldermen, Patterson & Eddy.
Consider & report.

Oliver St.

Voted, that the abutments on Oliver
Street be permitted to have banks against
their houses, provided they leave the sidewalk
at least eight feet wide.

Elliot

Oct 8. 1823

W. \$2 for

one night

12 \$2 for

another night

Petition of John Elliot for allow-
ance to exhibit fire works in the Washington
Garden Theatre - Read and the prayer
granted for two nights - paying
two dollars each night.

Fifty associates

Communication of the "Fifty Associates"
relative to the widening Front Street -
committed to the Mayor Aldermen
Benjamin, Eddy & Hooper, to consider &

Page & Farrar

10th St.

Petition of Calvin Page & Charles
Farrar for leave to dig a well in Gosh
Street - Read & committed to Aldermen
Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Bull

Voted, That the black bull be
exchanged for a red bull.

Washington St.
gravel

Voted, That five hundred ^{man} loads
of gravel be furnished for Washington Street
and Alderman Child be authorized to assist
in procuring the same.

Spears

The Committee on the petition of
the Spears - reported, that they be author-
ized to supply a black ~~rod~~ ^{for} ~~according~~ ^{unity}
days at two dollars per day.
Read & accepted.

10th St.
and C.

Voted, That the Committee on the
subject of building a new School House in
Ward No. 6, be authorized to change the
location, so far as to take also upon
the other side of the street first named.
They to consult the School Committee upon
the subject.

Bradstreet

Petition of Dudley Bradstreet having
fines remitted or prosecution stopped which
have been commenced against him for sell-
ing liquors without license. Read & committed
to the Mayor who is authorized to stop
the prosecution if he shall see fit -

Registers
Office

The Committee appointed to repair
the Register's Office reported, that they had
performed the duty assigned them.

Read & accepted.

Old South
Clock

The Committee upon the repairs of
Old South Clock reported, that they had
directed the necessary repairs to be made
by Messrs. Sumner & Dyer. Read & accepted.

Alms house

The Committee to whom was referred
authorized to ~~report~~ receive such number
of the inmates of the Alms house in Levee
street, & to remove them to the House of
Industry - made a report which was
read & sent down.

Prison

Is Grand and Is Travers Junior
deans for the Circuit Court of the
U. S. -

licenses
granted

Thomas Child, Alouzo Crosby,
Knobel G. Eldridge - were licensed as
Vintners.

licenses, not
granted

The several applications of David
Wilson and John Langue not
granted.

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John Richards
has returned
ments before
Mayor
\$2.

Adjourned to Friday next 4 o'clock

Wm.

Attest

J. M. Olney City Clerk

Special session

Wednesday Oct. 8th 1873.

Present. The Mayor - Aldermen Bradlam,
Odiorne, Child, Dove and Benjamin.

Doyle
Jumps Keeper.

David M. Doyle was nominated
abstained. Jumps Keeper in Wall street.

Page & Farrar
Gough Street

The Committee to whom was referred
the petition of Lealwin Page & Charles
Farrar, for leave to dig wells in Gough
Street reported, that the prayer of the
petition be granted, under the direction
of the Superintendent of Wells; provided
indemnity the owner or owners of any
land, that they may disturb or injure
in so doing, that the well when com-
pleted be considered as the property of
the Special Control of the City, to dispose
the benefits thereof to them upon reasonable
terms if they should see fit.

Read & carried.

Bradlam
Alderman of Caroline

Upon the representation of Stephen
Bradlam Alderman ~~and~~ Jumps Keeper of the House
Correction - Voted the formal ~~employment~~

confined therein, he still employed in
picking oakum.

Roberty 1-
Baker

The Committee on the Petition of
John Roberts, and Isaac Dupree, reported,
that it is expedient, that a common
sewer be dug and laid in Friend Street,
& recommended that the Superintendent of
drains, be instructed to give the proper
directions without loss of time.

Read & accepted.

Lincoln
Don Street

Petition of Theodore Lyman relative
to common sewer in Chardon Street, read
& committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr
to consider & report.

Vinton
Petition of
Dupree

John Vinton, Superintendent of
chimney sweeps application for an
office read & committed to Aldermen
Dorr & Patterson, to consider & report.

Lincoln
sewer bathing

The Mayor on the Petition of
Hawkes Lincoln, & others relative to persons
bathing near Fort Hill where reported
that the subject has as far as
possible been attended to & prevented.
Report accepted.

Bradstreet

The Mayor in the Petition of Dr. Bradstreet reported, that he had concluded that the two prosecutions therein referred to should be not pros^d - in payment of \$100 fully indemnifying the Medical Board & accepted.

Births of Children

The Mayor reported, that he had caused notice to be inserted in the public newspapers respecting the Births of Children. Report accepted.

Patrol Watch

The Mayor reported, in the Petition of Lewis Tappan & others, relative to Patrol Watch in Faboult's Block street, that the subject had been attended to, & as far as possible complied with. Report accepted.

Adjourned to Friday next 14 o'clock
P.M. Attest,

J. M. Ellery City Clerk

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October 10

Friday October 10th 1823. Met according to Adjournment—
Present the whole board except Alderman Child.

Regulations
respecting drains,
entering Com.
sewers.

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of Drains entering into Common Sewers, reported the following Regulations, viz

1. All permits for opening the Streets and entering a private drain, into a Common Sewer shall be delivered only to the Superintendent of drains & sewers, who shall make a memorandum thereof, in a book, be him to be kept for that purpose

2. That the same proceedings shall be had and the same principles apply in relation to drains

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October 10. of the City at the corner of Elm & Hanover Streets, and the respective rights of the City and of said Miller to the Canal's location, should be referred to two lawyers & three citizens, to be nominated by the Mayor & Aldermen - and that their report should be final -

Resolved, that this Board do accede to the proposition, and that James Savage, William D. Lohier Esq. Messrs George Wallcut, Thomas Water & John C. Thorndike be the Referees; and be instructed to award the amount of actual damage he may have sustained, if any, taking into consideration the increased value of the land resulting from said improvement.

For the remainder of this day
proceedings see Book E.

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October 10 Proceedings of the Board of Aldermen on Friday October 10th 1823. continued from Book E. —

Cushing Voted, that the sum assessed on Lemuel Cushings estate in Myrtle Street drain be estimated at one thousand dollars instead of twenty four hundred, according to the Certificate of the assessors this day laid before the board, of the valuation of said estate in their books. —

Reference. A Letter was received from Wm Sullivan Esq. stating that there is a case in the Court of Common Pleas of Brazer & Amory vs the City, for damage in laying out a highway (Lynn St) within the term this term — and committed to Alderman Hooper.

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Reference
 to Amory's
 Union St.

A Communication from
 Mr Nathaniel Amory proposing
 to submit his claim for the da-
 mage occasioned by taking his
 land in Union Street, for the use
 of the City to five respectable free-
 holders to be appointed by them
 & to accept such sum of money
 they shall award in full com-
 pensation for said land, was
 read - and Voted to agree to
 Amory's proposal, and that Messrs
 Samuel Billings, William Lawrence
 Edward Craft, Henry J. Oliver
 & David Greenough be the referees
 in this case and be instructed to as-
 -and the actual damage he may have
 sustained, if any, taking into con-
 sideration the increased value of
 the land resulting from said
 improvement. —

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Committee
attend
referees.

^{Resolved} That the Mayor, Aldermen Child, Benjamin & Hooper be a Committee to attend the referees and state the views of the City, in relation to the damage sustained, in the cases of M^r. Amory and M^r. Welsh.

m. on
obstructions
Streets.

^{Resolved} That the Mayor & Aldermen Hooper be a Committee. To take into consideration the state of the regulations respecting obstructions in the Streets, and to report thereon.

Edwards
Shimmer
&
Coolidge

The Mayor, Aldermen Odium & Benjamin were appointed a Committee in relation to the side walk of M^r. Shimmer in Bowdoin Square, and the steps of M^r. Coolidge projecting into Chestnut Street, with instructions to cause the same to be restricted to the space authorized by law.

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Hanover &
Elm Streets.

Alcurn Benjamin, Dor
& Cuddy^{be} a Committee to take in
consideration the buildings now
erecting at the corner of Hanover
& Elm Streets, and on the Eastward
of the last mentioned Street, and
consider, under all the circum-
stances whether it is expedient
the City to widen Hanover Street
and Elm Street on that side, and
to report at the next meeting.

Luther Ellis

The Committee to whom
referred a communication from William
Sullivan & Franklin Dexter Esqrs
on the subject of Luther Ellis claim
for compensation for land on the
North end of Blossom Street -
Reported, that Mr. Ellis having
commenced a prosecution, the
subject should be referred to Mr
Hooper of this board - report accepted.

proceedings see 100000 4.

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Lamson
Hobbs &
H.

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of purchasing a piece of land in Short & Bedford Streets - Reported, that one thousand dollars should be paid by the city as part of the purchase money of the House of Stephen Cushing for the purpose of removing such part of the same as the City Council may judge proper - Provided Nathaniel Goodland Esq shall widen Kingston Street by running his fence straight on the west side & cutting off a part of his old brick house - and provided that the remaining part of the money necessary for the purchase be contributed by citizens - they to have the remainder of the land not required for the above purpose - Report accepted - sent down for concurrence.

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E. Francis Jr.

The Application of Ebenezer Francis Jun^r to hire a piece of land on South Margin Street, was read & Committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report.

sent down for concurrence
came up concurred, & the Common Council joined
on its part Messrs Bayde, Elliot & Jones.

Committee on
Form of proceedings
imp.

Order of the Common Council
appointing Messrs Tappan, Lewis
Hindall, & Savage, with such as
the Board of Aldermen may join
a Committee to see if any alteration
be necessary in the form
of proceedings of the two bodies
constituting the City Council
came up for concurrence - read
and concurred, and the Mayor
& Alderman Hooper are joined.

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R. Griggs.

The Application of David R. Griggs for a lease of a vacant lot of land situated between the Mill Dam and the Gun House, was read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined in its passage Messrs Dexter, Lammie & Wilkinson

Phillips
requests, &c

The account of Samuel Phillips hay weigher for the quarter ending the first instantly was committed to Alderman Benjamin to examine & report. —

John Cotton
for compensation.

The Application of John Cotton for compensation as a surveyor of high ways, was read & committed to Alderman Baxter & Odiorne to consider & report. —

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Blossom St

The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Samuel Parkman Esq & others for repairs to be made on Blossom Street Reported, That if the Proprietors of Estates on said Street will raise the sidewalks against each of their estates, and will finish in usual style, the City authorities will then accept said Street; pave the gutters & gravel the ^{Read &} ~~Report~~ accepted. —

Drain in
Chardon &
Lawkin Sts

The Committee to whom was referred the Communication from Theodore Lyman Junr Esq. Reported That the drain laid by Mr. Lyman in Chardon Street is good & sufficient, that the drain at the bottom of Chardon Street, through Lawkin Street is old, decayed, small and altogether insufficient, & recommended

proceeding on same.

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that the drain be repaired and enlarged. - Report accepted.

On the application of Samuel H. Leves Esq. it was Voted, That he be authorized to occupy the late Selectmen's Room in Faneuil Hall, as the office for the Superintendant of Burial grounds until the further order of the Board.

John Mathewson was licensed as a Victualler in Belknap Street,

On the Application of John Vinton, Chimney Sweep for a room for an office - It was Voted, That it is inexpedient to find a room for Mr. Vinton, unless he shall pay a fair rent for the same.

Adj. to Monday next 4 o'clock P. M.
The Clerk Assistant City Clerk.

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Monday October 13. 1823.

October 13

Met according to Adjournment

Present the Mayor, Aldermen
Baxter, Osborne, Benjamin, Dor
Eddy & Hooper. —

J. Vannavar
to remove
a wooden
building.

John Vannavar has permission
to remove a ten foot building
from Lynn Street to Mill Pond
under the direction of Alderman
Eddy. —

report on
hay wagon
accepted.

Alderman Benjamin reports
that he had examined the account
of Mr Phillips Hay wagon, found
the account correct, and that
there ^{was} due to the City the sum of
one hundred & twenty two dollars
& fifty eight cents. — the report was
accepted, & the balance ordered
to be paid into the City Treasury.

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October 13 The Captain of the Watch was ordered to remove the North Division of the Watch to the new Watch house in the Hancock School House.

The Engine in Middle Street was ordered to be removed to the new Engine house in the Hancock School house. — the old Engine house was ordered to be disposed of, under the direction of the Committee of the district. —

On the application of John Fisher it was voted, that he be licensed to deliver a course of twelve Lectures at the Pantheon, without fee.

Dudley Bradstreet was Licensed as a Victualler, house corner of Milk & Atholison Streets. —

John Congue was licensed as a Victualler at No 59 Fish Street. —

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October 13. The Committee appointed to purchase a lot of land for a School Site for a School House in Ward N^o 6. reported that they ^{had} purchased the land on Pinckney & West Center Streets, agreeably to the last vote of the School Committee. — Read & accepted.

B. P. Tilden. The representation of Bryant & Tilden Esq, relating to the paper way back of the Tontine building, was read & committed to Alders Child & Dorr, to examine & report.

Petition of Jos West & others — The Petition of Joseph West & others owners of a Papage way leading from purchase Street to Fort Lane, & to Sears Wharf — complaining of a nuisance in said papage way, praying that their papage way may be taken under the Guardianship of the City, & in future be used a

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at 13 Street, or that they may be allowed to take it back again unto their own lots - was read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to examine & report. —

Ryan's
License -
revoked. Ordered. That the License of Patrick Ryan be revoked, and that notice thereof be published; - and that his bond be put in suit. —

Comm.
Marsh. A Communication from Ephraim Marsh relating to a Common Sewer that runs partly through a new Street, at the South part of the City, was read & referred to the Mayor & Alderman Baxter. —

Comm. Sewer
Unity St.
&c. On the Petition of Henry J. Oliver & others - stating that the Common Sewer in Unity Street & Robinson Alley, is out of repair & found to be

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October 13. ~~It~~ too small, - and praying that the said sewer may be relayed of larger dimensions, - It was voted that Mr. Marsh be directed to rebuild the same of suitable dimensions

Ship Market

The Petition of Joseph Baner, & others, occupants of Ship Market stating that carts with meat and vegetables continue to stand, & use those articles in Broad & Purchase Street, & praying that the same may be removed - was read and committed to Aldermen Dor, Benjamin & Child, to consider report. -

Adams

Broad street -

Representation of Daniel Adams & others Inhabitants of Broad Street & vicinity - stating ~~they~~ that they suffer great inconvenience from the conduct of some persons in procuring

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October 13. Their neighbourhood, & praying for the
interposition of the City authorities, was
read & committed to Aldermen Child
& Dorr to investigate & report. —

Adjourned. —

At a Special Meeting

October 18. Saturday October 18. 1823 —

Present the whole Board.

Morgan The application of James Morgan
to have the funnel in state house water
moved, & glass furnished, was referred
to the Committee of the district. —

Anton A Petition from John Vinton for
permission to erect an office on the south
west side of the entry floor, ^{in Council Hall} was read &
Voted, that it is expected to grant
the prayer of the petition. —

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J. Allen

Petition of James Allen for
permission to recite an Oration at
a poem at the Exchange Coffee House
was granted without fee. —

A. H. Moody

The Committee on
the Petition of Sampson A. Moody
other, people of Colour, Reported
it is inexpedient to grant the
prayer of the petition.

Report accepted. —

Watch House

The Petition of John Bray & other
praying that the location of the Watch
house in Fleet Street may not be
changed, - was read, & Voted that
it is inexpedient to grant the
prayer of the Petition. —

22. Grand Jurors & 35. Traverse
Jurors were drawn for Supreme
Judicial Court. —

proceedings on 10th Nov


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Sept 18. The Petition of Patrick Ryan to
have his license restored, was read
Ryan. & ordered to lie on the table -

1677
on 18. The Committee of Section N^o 2.
was requested to view the land of
Mr Sears in Elm Street, where he
is about to erect a Stable, and
see if any intorposition of the City au-
thorities is necessary, & report. -

1678
on 19. ^{Adjourned} Voted, That this board will meet
on Tuesday morning next at 9 o'clock,
at the corner of Clarendon & Elm Sts.
on the subject of widening those
Sts.

Adjourned to Wednesday
next 4 o'clock, P. M.

Attest
Thos Clark, City Clerk.


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October 23^d Thursday October 23^d 1823 —

Met according to Adjournment
Present the whole Board. —

J. Murphy. The Application of James Murphy
to be appointed an Auctioneer, was
not granted.

Stalls in Market. Voted. That W. Hayward the
Clark of Faneuil Hall Market,
to be leased. authorized to renew the leases of
the occupants of the stalls at the
West end of Faneuil Hall, for one
year on such terms as the Commi-
tee shall direct. —

South L. The Application of David Grunow
Allen Shed. & John P. Thordike to have the en-
trance to South Allen Street fill-
up, so as to make the same pay-
able, was committed to Aldermen O-
diome & Benjamin. —

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October 23. Application of Cornelia Coolidge, to have two Lamps placed on the new buildings at the corner of Union and Ann Streets instead of one, was referred to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

2. Frost The Application of Gilman Hook for a Tavern License, was not granted.

Dickinson John Dickinson was licensed as a Victualler at No 55. Orange Street.

Boyson William Boyson was licensed as a Victualler in the Upper Gallery of the Boston Theatre during the hours of performance - provided one or more of the Managers of the Theatre sign his name.

Maps for Latin School. The Application of J. Greely Stevenson for maps for the use of the Latin School, was referred to the Sub-Committee of that School.

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of this proposition, nothing here contained to be considered as an admission, or conveying any opinion of this board, that the said Society have any right to the land inclosed within their fence, or that any just claim for damages will result to said society should the Mayor & Aldermen as Surveyors of high ways take down their Porch:—

S. Badlam
etc.

Stephen Badlam, account-
board of prisoners in the House of
Correction, was referred to Alder-
men Baxter, Eddy & Hooper.

Simon L
Collamore
Ann St.

Application of H. Lienow & G.
Collamore, relating to a Commis-
sion in Ann Street was commit-
ted to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

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October 23.

Ordered, That Aldermen Child,
Dorr & Benjamin be a Committee
to widen Hanover Street at the North
east corner of Elm Street

Adjourned to Monday next
4 o'clock, P. M.

Attest, Thos Clark, Assistant City Clerk.

Monday October 27th - 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

Present - The whole board except Alder
Hooper.

Otis

Deed from Harrison Gray, Otis, Sellers, & Co.
city, read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin
& Hooper to consider & report.

Winter street.

Ordered, that the Aldermen Edw.
Benjamin be instructed to examine the situation
of the side walk on the westerly side of
Winter street.

Marston

Petition of William Marston, in com-
pensation for a piece of land, which he says
was taken to widen Chamber street. Read
& committed to Aldermen Edw. and
Benjamin to consider & report.

Sullivan

Petition of William Sullivan, Esq. in
behalf of Suffolk ins. for a carpet in the law
library - Read & committed to Aldermen
Benjamin and Hooper to consider & report.

procurator

Madam,
Gad.

Representation of Stephen Badlam
under keeper of the Gaol, in the County of
Suffolk, relative to the bad state of the prison
place in the Gaol. Read & committed to
Aldermen Child, Benjamin Eddy, to consider
and report.

Bellows
safe case

Petition of John Bellows, to have
August and Harts bill for paving Sheeps Lane
paid. Read and committed to Aldermen
Badlam and Hooper, to consider & report.

indent female
relieve

Petition of the Prisoners' friends relief
Society, for a room or house, or that some
relief may be granted them. Read and
committed to Aldermen Child & Eddy, to
consider and report.

with Boston
engine house

Ordered, that Aldermen Wixton, Child
and Hooper, be a committee, with authority to
purchase a piece of land at South Boston, sufficient
for an engine house, at eight cents a square
foot, and that said house be located by
said Committee.

Green dragon

Tavern

Ordered, that Aldermen Baxter, White
and Dorr be appointed to examine the
land of the City near the Green dragon
Tavern:—

Orange st.

Hayward

Ordered, that Aldermen Baxter &
Eddy, be appointed to examine the
situation of the house built by Mr.
Hayward, near Orange street.

Brooks

South Boston

Representation of Noah Brooks, relative
to James land at South Boston, was re-
commended to the Mayor and Aldermen
Hooper, to consider and report.

Hale

Boylston and

Marble St.

Representation of David Hale, relative
to projecting windows corner of Boylston &
Marble streets was committed to the
Mayor—

Cotton

The Committee appointed to ascertain
whether John Cotton Esq. is entitled to the
same compensation for services the last year
as Surveyor of highways, as the other Sur-
veyors reported, that he be allowed the
same sum as was granted to the

prosecutors

other Surveyors viz: sixty two dollars, and
fifty cents. Read & accepted.

Coolidge
The Committee to whom was referred
the communication of Leonard Coolidge, relative
to lamps in Ann and Union streets - reported
that there are three lamps in Ann street
within one hundred feet, and recommended that
that the lamp next to Mr. Butler's hat-
shop be removed to Mr. Ames's building,
between the second & third windows from
Union street, and that one lamp be placed in
Union street on the first pier southwardly from
the corner opposite Mr. B. Simpson's leather
store - the lamps to be placed under the
direction of the Committee of the District.
Read & accepted.

Island Affairs
Petition of the Assistant Appraisers relative
to shipping taxes and that the salary of the
permanent Appraiser be raised, read & committed
to Aldermen Adams, I Dorr with one as
the Common Council may join, to consider &
report. Sent down for concurrence. Came
upon consensus, & the Common Council
joined on its part Messrs Tappan, Adams
and Jackson.

Lienues

David Weeks, Eliza Wier and
Ebenzer Davis, were licensed as Virtues


Payson.

Memorial of Thomas Payson, late
Master of the Franklin Grammar School
with the documents accompanying them
and ~~submitted~~ referred to the Select
Committee for their consideration.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred.

Adjourned to Thursday next 11
o'clock. P. M.

Attest

J. M. Ellery, Esq. Clerk


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Thursday October 30th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

Presents. The whole board.

Gael

The committee to whom was referred the representation of Stephen Badlam Esq. respecting the heating or warming the Gael House of Correction reported, that for the present one or more iron stoves & furnaces be placed in each entry way for the purpose of warming & keeping comfortable the inmates the present season. Resolved & accepted & thereupon Ordered, that the same be referred to the same committee to see the report carried into effect.

Visitors of the House of Correction

Ordered, that Messrs Thomas Kendall, Junr. & Ezra Dyer, of all of Wrentham, being true & reputable & discreet freeholders of the County of Suffolk living near the House of Corrections the same being the Common Prison, in the County of Suffolk, situate on Leverett Street, as hereby appointed to be overseers of said House of Correction.

Rules & Government of the House of Correction

Ordered, that the subject of establishing rules in the Government of said House be referred to the same Committee.

Whitney

Ordered, that the Mayor & Aldermen of Wrentham, be a committee to take into consideration the subject of Col. Whitney's

encroachment on the circular line, by
extending his Wharf beyond the same.

Lowder's
Orange St.

Ordered, that Alderman Peate,
be appointed to take into consideration
the subject of Mr Lowder's side wall &
~~Orange St.~~ Orange street. -

Gaoler

Ordered, that the Mayor, Aldermen
Eddy and Hooper, be a Committee to
take into consideration the confinement of
the Gaoler, and report. -

Read
Watch

On the Petition of James Read
Others, praying that warrants may be
granted to James Harward, Aaron M
bank, Alvin M. Master & David Chapin
as Special Watchmen in Hilly, Central,
Plover & State Street. Ordered that
warrants be granted accordingly, they
to be under the control of the Captain
of the City Watch. The City to be
at no expense for the same.

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Brattle St.

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to transmit, also, of the vote of this board passed on Thursday the twenty third, instant to the Chairman of the Standing Committee of the Brattle Street Church, with a particular request, in the part of this board, that a legal meeting of the Proprietors of that Church may be called, as soon as conveniently may be, and that the proposition contained in that vote may be submitted to those Proprietors for their acceptance or rejection.

Rules & Regulations

House of Correction

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne & Child be a Committee to take into consideration the subjects of rules and regulations for the government of the House of Correction.

Wilkins

Unobscured Lands

Letter of John Wilkins Esq. relating to two papers committed on Township No 5 in the 9th range, in the County of Penobscot, Meads, committed to Aldermen Dexter & Odiorne with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report, and down for Concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined in its pass Messrs. Arroy, Shaw & Dexter --

Derne Street
Watch house

Ordered that the subjects of the
door to the Watch house in Derne St.
be consigned to Aldermen Gilmore and
Benjamin.

Newbury Street
Common Sewer
Penniman.

Returns of the expense of repairing
a drain or common sewer in Newbury
Street on the petition of Eliza Penniman
conformable to the directions of the Mayor
Aldermen, the whole expense of which
amounts to \$104, which expense is to be
borne by such persons whose drains
enter therein & receive benefit therefrom.
Wherefore the board made an appointment
upon the several Proprietors & authorized
empowered Samuel Dennis to demand &
receive the same & give discharges
therefor.

Washington Artillery
Co. trespass on
Fort Hill

The Committee to whom were referred
the communication of the Captain of the
Washington Artillery Company, relative to
trespass committed by the boys upon the
gun house, reported, that a boy by the
name of John Monte Esq. the door of the
gun house and John Parker entered the
gun house and beat it & afterwards laid
it at the door of the gun house.

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and that John Dunn, another day beat
the drum. Read and accepted.

Badlam
Prison Keeper

The Committee to whom was referred
the account of Stephen Badlam, Gaoler,
Reported, that when he allowed to S^r Badlam
\$379. in full of his account, & that as
compensation he allowed him for his services
more than the profits arising from the
distress of the prisoners, at one dollar twenty
five cents a week. Read & accepted.

School House
Middle St.
Wayman

The Committee empowered by the City
Council, to sell the house adjoining the School
House lot on Middle street, Reported that they
have sold the same to John Wayman, for the
sum of \$300. & agreed that a quit claim
deed shall be given, signed by the Mayor
in behalf of the City. Read & accepted.

Fire Co.

The Committee to whom was referred
the memorial of the Engine Companies, Reported,
that it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of
the petition of the several Engine Companies,
the present expensations & compensations being a
sufficient remuneration for their services. Read
& accepted.
But done for concurrence
came up concurred.

Adams

The Committee on the petition of Daniel Adams Jotham, relating to disturbances & noise in Brown street reported, that the subject has been acted upon. Honorable Prescott sent to suppress the noise & riot. — Read & accepted.

Prison &
Prisoners

The report of the board of assessors relating to the state of the Prison, & the prisoners contained therein. Read & Ordered to lie upon the table.

South Boston
Engine House

The Committee appointed to make inquiry report a suitable piece of land in South Boston, for an Engine House. — reported that a lot of land adjoining the City's land on which the New School house stands belongs to Mrs. Shinnery, may be had with the feet or more on the street, running back 145 feet, the same depth of the City's land, at seven cents per foot or one half of land, at eight cents per foot. & the Committee recommends that a lot be purchased the whole depth of the City's land, & that the fence now on said land be removed to include the land thus purchased. Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred.

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City Council
form of
proceedings

The Committee, who were appointed to consider if any alteration be necessary in the form of proceedings of the two bodies constituting the City Council, reported, that it is expedient whenever either or both branches express any thing by way of command, the form adopted shall be "it is ordered." And that whenever either or both branches express fact, principles, opinions or purposes, the form adopted shall be "it is resolved."

Read & accepted. Put down for concurrence.
Carried up concurred.

City Clerk's of

City Clerk's account read & committed to Aldermen Chas & Benjamin.

Babcock
Center St

Ordered, that Aldermen Paddy & Patterson ^{be authorized to} enquire and report, whether Abram Babcock, has encroached on Center street, and also ~~relation to~~ the ports at the corner of said street.

Adjourned to Monday next 11 o'clock AM
Attest.

J. M. Cary, City Clerk.

Monday November 3rd 1823.

Met according to adjournment
Present The whole Board. —

City Clerk's
acc.

The committee appointed upon the
City Clerk's accounts reported that the
same is correct. Read & accepted and
thereupon ordered that the amount
thereof, being eight hundred & thirty one
dollars, be paid into the City Treasury.

South-end
Clock

Ordered, that Aldermen Pinckney and
Hooper be a committee to consider the
state of the South-end clock, & report.

Park-street
Clock

Ordered, that Aldermen Osborne &
Barnum be a committee to consider the
state of Park-street clock, as it con-
flicts the contract with Messrs. Brown &
Byar, and report.

Gould's lease
Green Dragon
land.

Ordered, that Aldermen Hooper and
Kidd be a committee to take into consid-
eration Thomas Gould's lease of a piece
of land near the Green Dragon tavern,
and report.

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Ordered. That Alderman Hooper be a com-
mittee to take a deed of the right of drain from
the school house on Pot hill through land of
William H. Bordenman, agreement was made
by Messrs Perkins & Billings.

Order of the Common Council ~~and~~ Committee
the memorial of John D. Williams, Father Inhabitant,
of Ward 42: 12, relative to Franklin School &
Ward Room in Ward No 12 - to Messrs Amey
Adams & Jackson, with such as the board of
Aldermen may join, to consider & report.
Leave up for concurrence. Read & concurred
and Aldermen Patterson & Eddy are joined.

John Elliot is licensed to exhibit fire
works at Washington Gardens for an eight
he to pay two Dollars therefor.

J. Austin Smiths proposition relative to
land on which the Ropswalkers stand at
the bottom of the Common road & committed
to the Mayor to consider & report.

Ordered that the former vote of this
board receding the business of Patrick Ryan be
reconsidered so far as to refer the same to the
Mayor

Foster
Broad St.

Petition of William Foster, Vt. for
a drain at the South extremity of Broad
that read Submitted to Aldermen Child,
Dorr, who are instructed to enquire
whether there are estates enough to defray
the expense. -

Glover

Ordered, That the Doctor's bill
amounting to ten dollars, be paid. Dr. Brad,
for attending on Eliha V. Glover, one of the
Constables of the City, he being beaten &
wounded while in the service of the
City.

Hudson

Ordered, That Aldermen Paddy &
Pallanow be authorized to take into con-
sideration the objection of Mr. Hudson to being
appealed, for an entry into Park Street drain.

Parker
Kinsland St.

Ordered, That Alderman Baxter be
authorized to settle with Luther Parker
for land to widen Kinsland street, provided
the expense shall not exceed fifty dollars.

Home of
Industry

Ordered, That the Directors of the
Home of Industry, be authorized to remove
the Old School House at South Boston, to
the land belonging to it, where the Home
of Industry stands.

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Brimley
Report of the Committee on Amos
Brimley's proposal to purchase the Alms
House.
Read & sent down.

An ordinance prohibiting the projection
of goods, & other articles into the streets
& yards. Read & committed to Alderman Hooper, to
consider and report.

Deer and
Ransford
Islands
The Mayor's communication concerning
the wearing away of Deer ^{Ransford} Islands, caused by
the action of the Ocean & tempests. Read &
committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Child,
and Benjamin with such as the Common
Council may join, to consider and report.
Sent down for concurrence. Came up
concurred; and the Common Council joined
on its part Messrs. Coolidge, Wilkinson
and Oliver. &

aus for
improvements
The Mayor's communication concern-
ing borrowing loans for permanent improvements, in
widening & extending the public streets, to be
repaid by instalments. Read & committed
to the Mayor. Aldermen Water, Osborne,

Hooker with such as the Common Council
may join, to consider & report. Sent
down for concurrence. Came up con-
curred and the Common Council join
on its part Messrs. Amory, Williams,
Savage, Shaw, Lamson.

Retailers of
Spirits, Liquor

Ordered, that an abstract of the
law, forbidding retailers of spirits, liquor,
keeping open doors on Saturday evenings
after ten o'clock be published in the
newspapers.

Martins
Chamber St.

The Committee to whom was
referred the petition of William Martin
for compensation for land, taken to build
Chamber street, which he claims as his
property - Reported a statement of facts
and the committee are of opinion
that said Martin has not proved his
title to the land in question.

Read & accepted.

Hayward's
Clerk of Market

Cald Hayward's account as
Clerk of the Market for the month of

proceedings

some late amounting to \$ 606. 12, ^{allowed} and the
balance \$ 86. 58. Ordered to be paid into
the City Treasury.

James
Reuben Greenwood, James Turkington
Edmund Gray - were licensed as Victuallers.
William A. Wendell's application
for an Amholder's license not granted.

Nov. 4. 10 hours drawn for Supreme
Judicial Court.

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
P.M.
Attest
J. M. Gray, City Clerk

Thursday November 6th 1823.

Met according to adjournment
Present - The whole board

Amory
Union St.

The referees appointed by a
rule, and agreement entered into by
the City and Nathaniel Amory, Esq. to
determine and appraise the damages for
land taken to widen Union Street
made a report which was read and
accepted and Ordered to be recorded.
The Mayor be authorized to draw upon the
Treasury for the referees charges for services,
fifty dollars allowed Ordered to be
paid.

Russell Gardner

Russell Gardner's account for
printing, referred to Aldermen Dorr and
Patterson.

Blanchard

Ordered, that Aldermen Child,
Dorr and Patterson, be a committee to
take into consideration the removal of the
barn belonging to Mr. Blanchard in Union
Street, and cause it to be cut off &
removed conformable to the line of the

street, if necessary, as well as that of Samuel
Mason Eddy's farm &c

Home of
Industry

Ordered, That the Mayor be
authorized to draw an order upon the
City Treasurer for five thousand dollars,
in favor of the Directors of the Home of
Industry conformably to a vote of the
City Council, of the sixth day of
last.

Home of Correction. Ordered, That Aldermen Child,
Chickering, & make Benjamin and Eddy be a committee to
consider and report rules & regulations for
the government of the Home of Correction.
Employing an assistant master & report, to this board.
Ordered, That Aldermen Child
& Dove be a committee to consider the
State of banks on Central street.

Willis

Ordered, That the subject of
Charles Willis' drain, and the amount against
him for entering the same into the Common
Sewer in San Louis street be referred to
Alderman Eddy.

Engine Companies

Order of the Common Council
appointing Mep.^s Swett, Winslow, Whitt,
Tappan & Adams, with such as the
Board of Aldermen might join, a committee
to consider if any and what alterations
are required in relation to the compensa-
tions to be allowed to the several Engine
Companies in this City, and report.
Read and
Came up for concurrence. Read and
Concurred and the Mayor Aldermen
Patterson, Eddy & Hooper are joined.

Old State
House

Order of the Common Council
appointing Mep.^s E. Williams, Amos, Kendall,
Dexter, Mooms, Oliver and Curtis, with
such as the Board of Aldermen might
join, be a Committee to consider the
propriety of selling a part of the Old
State House on State Street to [?] [?]
Came up for concurrence. Read and
Concurred with an amendment, and the
Mayor, Aldermen Baxter, Edicome, Minnion
& Hooper are joined. Put down for concurrence.
Came up for concurrence.

Stanton

On the Petition of Francis Stanton
to have a lamp lighted, which has been
erected by Samuel Cabot & himself in
Winthrop place. Ordered, that the same
be lighted at Superintendent of lamps care
the same to be lighted at the expense of
the City.

Melles

On the application of Benjamin
Melles Ordered, that the sum of
fifty dollars, be paid ^{to Samuel Welles} ~~him~~, according to
the report of referees, in the year 1803,
for compensation for certain land taken
to widen and straighten Frog Lane now
called Berylston street

Austin

Letter of Samuel Austin, Junia,
to the Mayor, in behalf of himself and the
other assignees of the property of Winckler
Lewis, His petition to negotiate for the
purchase of the ropewalk estate at the bottom
of the Common, and that the same be
appraised & estimated by four persons, two of
them to be appointed by the Mayor &
Aldermen, & two of them by the assignees
this appraisement not to be binding on

either party; but to be considered as
an approximation to the actual value
of the estate, in any future negotiation
for it. Read and Thompson Ordered,
That the foregoing proposition be agreed
to, on condition that the appraisers,
shall be restricted in their estimation
on the value of the land to the purpose
specified in their original commission from
the town of Boston - and that Aldermen
Edmund Barr and Taddy be a Com-
mittee with authority to arrange the
mode of appointing those appraisers in
said Austin.

Brattle street
Church

Letter from the proprietors of
Brattle street ^{Church} disagreeing to the proposition
of the City for the removal of the steeple
and fence of their lot.

Brattle street
Church

Ordered, That the board will
meet in Brattle street for the purpose of
considering that street ^{Church} to the Church
tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock A.M.

Tarbell - sal
Licenses
granted
Abijah Tarbell, Samuel G. W. Carr,
and Nathaniel Barker were specially
licensed as Victuallers.

License not
granted
Edward Dearborn's application to
be licensed as an Innholder not granted

Bray
Watch House
Ordered, That Aldermen Baxter, Child,
Benjamin and Eddy be authorized to take
into consideration the application of John
Bray and others, to have the Watch
House in Middle street removed to West
street.

Adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow
morning.

Attest

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Special meeting Friday November 7th 1823.

Met. according to adjournment.

Present The whole board - except Alderman
Wagner -

Brattle street
Church

The board proceeded to ~~Brattle~~
~~street~~ to examine the land ^{belonging to} the Brattle
Street Church, in order to widen said
street for the purpose of considering what
the safety and convenience of the Inhabit-
ants of the City required in relation
to the widening of that street, and the
same being viewed & considered & approved.

Resolved that the safety & convenience
of the Inhabitants of the City require
that the street called Brattle street
should be widened by including within
it all the land South of the Southwicks
line of the wall of the Church in
Brattle street, and it is hereby declared
to be so laid out & widened accord-
ingly.

Fence to be
removed

Ordered That the fence now
standing on the South and West sides
of the Church in Brattle street be removed
within ten days from this date, ~~to be~~
~~the intention of the board~~

Brattle St. ~~and that the same~~
Church ~~and that the same~~
Southward, North of said Church to remove
within thirty days. —

Ordered that the Mayor be re-
quested to transmit copies of the preceding
votes to the Chairman of the standing Com-
mittee of the Brattle Street Church for the
purpose of notifying that body thereof;
and to inform him that this vote is
given under the apprehension that it will
be more acceptable to the Proprietors of
that Church that the fence and porch
should be removed under the Superintendence
of that standing Committee; should however
they prefer, on notice to that effect, the
removal shall be done by the City
authorities.

Ordered that the Mayor be
requested to offer the sum of two thousand
dollars in full compensation of the damages
sustained by the Proprietors of the Church
in Brattle Street by the raising out and
widening that street and the removal of
their fence and porch under the virtue of the
preceding votes of being understood that

Wattle St that in case this offer shall be refused
Church, nothing herein contained shall be con-
sidered as being any admission by the
board that the said. Proprietors sustain
any damage by such leaving out,
sindering and removal, or in any way
be taken advantage of against the
city before any tribunal to which
resort may be had for the purpose
of deciding the question of compensation
thereon.

Grand Juror
discharged

Upon the representation of Chief
Justice Parker, making a request of the
Grand Jury that Robert Hansel one of
the members of the body should be disqualified
from being incapacitated from serving them
on habitual habit of intemperance. He
having been discharged by the Western
District Court accordingly. Whereupon
ordered, that the name of Robert
Hansel be taken from the jury box
according to the statute in that case
made & provided.

Simpson

Petition of John Simpson to have
his Carts & Boxes removed from before the
door in Exchange Street. Read & committed
to Aldermen Child & Dowd
assigned to Monday next to report. Mr.
Simpson, City Clerk

Monday November 10th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.
Present - The whole board.

Knapp

Petition of Henry Knapp, praying
that the flag stones in Charles street, at
the bottom of Beacon street, may be
retained. Read & committed to Aldermen
Adams & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Hanover st.

Ordered, That Aldermen Child &
Dorr, be also committed to settle with Messrs
Barny & Prescott, for land taken to widen
Hanover street, for a sum not exceeding three
dollars per foot.

Amory

Ordered, That the Mayor be
authorized to settle with Nathaniel
Amory Esq. in such way as he may
think proper.

Lynn st.

The Committee upon whose decision
the widening Lynn street ^{was to be prepared} on the application
of Henry J. Oliver - Reported, that said
work has been done, & a side walk laid,
in front on a line with the other side.

walks to the satisfaction of the Committee
of the district, that the sum of two
hundred dollars as the City's proportion
of all costs paid attention be paid to
said Oliver, agreeable to a vote of the
board of Aldermen passed September last.
Read & accepted, and said sum of
money be paid accordingly.

Marsh

Application of Whrain Marsh
for leave to take up the paving stones
in the old Gaol yard to pave the
gutter in the street between the head
of Bulfinch & Middlestreet committed to
Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to consider & report.

Dyer

Everez Dyer application in
the case of Franklin's mooring - read and
committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson
to consider & report.

Woodward

Petition of Kenion Woodward
praying to hire a piece of land N.E. of
South Margin Street, in the year
read & committed to Aldermen White
Dove, to consider and report.

Kendall

Motion was received, from Thomas Kendall, desiring to accept the appointment as an Overseer of the House of Correction Read and committed to Aldermen Belue, Benjamin & Eddy.

North Street Church

The Committee on the subject of North Street Church reported a state of facts as on file - which was read & accepted.

March
Main Street
Sewer

Communication from Ephraim March relative to the new common sewer lately erected in Main Street, and the mode of apportioning the expense. Read and committed to the Mayor - Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider & report.

Francis
The Margin
St.

The Committee to whom was referred the application of Ebenezer Francis Junr. for a claim of lost land on South Margin Street - Reported, that twenty five feet of said land, he leased to said Francis during the pleasure of the City Council after the rate of \$25 per annum the rent to commence at & from the first day of August last. Read & accepted. Sent down for consideration. Came up concurred.

Bethune
Mrs Codman

Petition of George Bethune in
behalf of Mrs Codman to have a lamp
lighted in the shed between Bedford &
Essex streets. Read and thereupon
Ordered, That the City will light
a lamp in said street, when it shall
be erected by Mrs Codman

Simpson
Exchange street

The Committee to whom the
Petition of John Simpson, ^{Reported} Others, that
the Clerk of the Market be required to
visit Exchange street, and to see that
the teams leave that street as soon
as they have unloaded for they find
that said teams are a considerable
hindrance to the other occupants in the
street in their business. Read & adopted

Central street

The Committee to whom the
Communication from occupants of Stores
in Central street, that six additional
Lamps be placed in said street - Reported
that if the occupants in said street will
plan two more lamps in said street, the
City will light them. Read & adopted

Baury
Hanover st.

The Committee appointed to ascertain the damage sustained by Mr. Baury in consequence of the City's appropriating a part of her land in Hanover street, at the corner of Elm street for widening said street - Reported, That she be allowed to have in full satisfaction for her land thus taken three hundred & thirty nine dollars - and that Mr. Prescott be allowed and paid two hundred and sixteen dollars for land taken in Hanover street for widening said street in full for damages sustained by him. Read & accepted.

Resolved, That the safety and convenience of the inhabitants of the City require that the street called Hanover street should be widened, by including within the same all ~~the~~ ^{shop &} land to the westward of a line running from the south easterly corner of John Adams brick store on Hanover street, which is one hundred and six six feet distant from the southerly side of Elm street in a straight line to the front of the new brick buildings on the corner of Hanover and Elm streets belonging to Thomas Welsh Junr Esq. and to continue in the same direction north easterly from the said southerly side of Elm street one hundred

Hanover-
street.

and eight feet, until it comes nearly op-
posite the south westerly side of Portland
street, where it makes a small angle
easterly and runs in a straight line
one hundred and seventy one feet to the
north westerly corner of the brick house
belonging to the heirs of Thomas Capen
deceased. The land taken from Mr. Bangs
measures one hundred and thirteen square
feet - From William Prescott Esquire, seven
two feet square feet - From Ezra Ten
eighty seven and an half feet square feet
from same heirs, sixty two square
feet; from Samuel Whitwell, seventy and
an half square feet; from David
Woodham, thirty nine, and an half
square feet; from John L. Jones, Esq.
seventy one square feet; and from the
heirs of Thomas Capen, deceased, one
square foot - Vide a plan of the
same drawn by S. P. Fuller dated
Nov. 1st 1893 in the book of Plans &
Streets Vol. 2. Page

Summers
W. 89.

Nathaniel M. Heywood. Licensed as an
Antiquarian.

Nolan

The Mayor reported in the case of
Patrick Ryan, that he had appeared and the
Mayor warned him against repeating his
offense.

Adjourned to Thursday next to
Clock. Wm.

Attest
J. M. C. City Clerk.

Thursday November 13th 1823.

Met according to adjourn.

Present - The whole board.

Boston Mill
Capt.

Memorial of the Boston Mill Corporation, stating that they shall not propose to fill up any more of said pond, nor offer to sell or purchase the house and rights in the mill part of said pond. Read & committed to the Mayor Aldermen Baxter & Pierce, with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, and the Common Council joined on its part Messrs Winslow, Wilkinson, Lamon & Holbridge.

Rhodes

Carver Street

Memorial of Daniel Rhodes Jr. Lotter's relation to stone steps in Carver Street, projecting almost across the side walks, read & committed to the Mayor Aldermen Baxter & Benjamin.

Gale

Petition of Isaac Gale, Votman to have the vegetable Market boarded, read & committed to Aldermen Don & Patterson to consider & report.

Hubbard,

Petition of Samuel Hubbard & others
a committee of the Proprietors of the Park
Street Church, informing that they are ready
to commence the work for the erection of
tombes under the said Church, & only want
for directions as to the manner of their
construction from the City Council. Read &
committed to Aldermen Child, Edley and
Hooper with such as the Common Council
may join, to consider & report. Sent down
for concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common
Council joined on its part. Messrs Adams Wright,
Howard, & Baldwin.

Snow

Petition of Rebecca Snow, to have
her daughter released from the House of correc-
tion. Read & committed to Aldermen
Hooper to consider & report.

Vore

Petition of Isaac Vore, to have
the drain in Orange street leading to low-
water mark, repaired, read & committed to
Aldermen Baxter & Hooper, to consider & report.

King

Petition of Joseph King to have a
lamp lighted in Crescent Court, read & committed
to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Proctor & Willis

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Proctor & Willis Athens, Hartness reported, that the Hartney benches should be licensed & registered, as is now by law required, & that all of them should be either numbered or conspicuously marked with the initials of the owners names, &c. Read & not accepted.

Court street

Communication relative to a collar on Court street, where improper persons are entertained, - Read & ~~Committee~~ referred to the City Marshal.

South Boston
Engine house

The Committee appointed to purchase a piece of land at South Boston for the purpose of erecting an Engine house there reported, that they have purchased the land referred to viz. twelve feet on the street, running back one hundred forty five and a half feet making seventeen hundred & forty six feet at seven cents amounting to one hundred & twenty two dollars, & twenty cents. Read and accepted, and ordered that the Mayor be authorized to receive the deed, & cause the money to be paid for the same.

Ordered

The Committee on the petition of Reuben Woodward, to recut a lot of land belonging to the City in South Main Street - reported, that it is inexpedient to grant the same. Read & accepted.

February 16

Memorial of Alexander Wentworth, to be employed as a public weigher - Read and the prayer thereof was not granted.

February 17

Ordered, That ~~that~~ Aldermen Child, Elder, & Patterson, be a committee with authority to settle with William Tenkesbury the owners of Deer Island.

March 1

Ordered, That Aldermen Child, Benjamin & Elder, be a committee with authority to build ^{in the Gas yard} a Gas house, two look up rooms, and two heating houses and to put up such lamps as may be necessary.

March 1

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Ordered, That Aldermen Child and Burr, be a committee to take into consideration the subject of building a wharf between the City's land, & that of Hall J. Howe, & that the City will pay one half of the expense.

Gaol

Ordered, That the Committee on the Gaol be authorized to enquire into the quality of the food furnished the prisoners, and the time of administering the same. —

Streets proper
of goods in

An ordinance prohibiting the projection of goods or other articles into the streets. Read and passed to be enrolled. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred.

Shinmin's
side walks
Bowdoin sq.

Ordered,
Resolved, That the board will meet tomorrow morning at half past 8 o'clock, for the purpose of viewing the side walks in front of W. Shinmin's house near Bowdoin square.

Oversee of
House of
Correction

Jonathan Cartlton was appointed Oversee of the house of Correction in place of Thomas Tisdale who declines serving.

Virtualles Asa Foster and Kenezer, Hall were
licensed as Virtualles.

William Butler's virtualing license
was transferred from Merchants Row
to the corner of North & Ship streets.

Adjourned to half past 8 o'clock
tomorrow morning.

Attest
J. M. Cleary, Secy, Clerk.

Special meeting. Friday November 14th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.
Present The Mayor Aldermen Peck, Child,
Dorr and Benjamin.

Shrimmin
Bowdoin Sq.

The board proceeded to examine
the side walks in front of William Shrimmin
Esq's new houses in Bowdoin square. Whereupon
Ordered, That the top of the edge stone
shall be in a straight line from the top
of Mrs. Chapman's edge stone, to the top of
Mrs. Frost's, and that the line of the
bricks on the side walks shall be on
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a direct line, and the same descent
from the house with those of Mr. [unclear]
and of the same height.

Ordered that the City Clerk
transmit a copy of this vote to Mr.
Shumway.

Adjourned to Monday next at
10 o'clock P.M.

Attest.

J. M. Kearney, City Clerk
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* November 17th omitted in the regular plan

Ice & Snow,

An ordinance relating to Ice
and Snow in the streets - Read and
passed to be enrolled.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred, as taken into a new
draft. Read & concurred.

Monday November 17th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

Present. The whole board;

Roby. Upon the application of Henry Roby, that an
Inquisition may be had upon Elizabeth Roby, sup-
posed to be non compos mentis. Read and
committed to Aldermen Tddy & Patterson to consider
and report.

Lewis -
Newall's Application of Winslow Lewis, in behalf of
the District, of the Newwall's lands at the
bottom of the Common, that the value thereof
may be determined by referees to be mutually
chosen by each party. Read & committed
to the Mayor, Aldermen Baxter & Benjamin
with such as the Common Council may
join, to consider & report. Sent down for
concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common
Council joined on its part Messrs E. Williams,
Deane, Goodidge & Davis.

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Morgan
Water Captain James Morgan was nominated
and appointed Captain of the City Patrol Watch.
Said Morgan was also nominated & appointed Super-
intendent of Lamps.

Harris -
N. S. & Home

Application of Samuel D. Harris,
Marble & Mapachusetts, for liberty to
make alteration in the Court room, & the
land in the rear. Read & committed to
Aldermen ~~Will~~^{Odgers} and ~~Lotter~~^{Benjamin} to consider &
report.

Joseph

Petition of Frederick Joseph for
liberty to have a dance for colored
people on Thanksgiving night in May
Street. Read & committed to Aldermen
Odgers & Benjamin, who have liberty to
grant the prayer of the petition if they
think fit.

Armstrong
Court Street

Petition of Samuel T. Armstrong
for compensation for land taken to widen
Court Street. Read & committed to Aldermen
Odgers & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Adams

Petition of William E. Adams, to
have his salary allowed, as Warden of the
Capitol School, according to the vote of the
School Committee of about eight dollars.
Read & committed to Aldermen Benjamin
to consider & report.

Adams

Petition of Lucy Adams, that the drain leading into the Common sewer in South Russell street, may be opened & repaired & the expense apportioned on all persons having a right in said drain. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin to cause the same to be done if they see fit.

Resident
new term.

Genl. Boyd came up with a message to inform the board of Aldermen that the Lessees of the "Amiel" had chosen Francis J. Oliver Esq. President pro tempore in the absence of Mr. John Wells, their President.

Brattle St.
Church

Ordered, That the Committee of the District viz. Aldermen Child & Dorr be directed to cause the fence around the Church in Brattle square be taken down forthwith; conformably to the vote of the board the seventh instant.

Shimmin
Bowdoin sq.

Ordered, That the subject of William Shimmin Esq's side walk in Bowdoin square, be referred to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin who are authorized to direct the laying the same, in the manner they may think fit.

W. H. P. M. S.

Ordered, That Mr. Hooper be authorized to engage Samuel Hubbard Esq. to defend in behalf of the City an action brought against Boston Gasworks for an alleged trespass in Boston street.

Grand Jury
Hav
Stat of

Representation of the Grand Jury made
to the State of the County Jail and the
prisoners confined therein. Read & answered
to Aldermen Childs, Benjamin & Eddy &
consider & report.

Clark
sum paid
for an night
Court Hall
\$2.00
2 p^{ts} Nov. 27.

Application of Edmund Clark
Caroline Clark, for a license to give
Concord. Read and the same thing
granted, upon paying two dollars,
each night.

Hanover
street

Ordered, that the sum of three
dollars per square foot be paid for the
land taken to widen Hanover Street, viz
to Mr. Bann, for one hundred & thirty
feet of land three hundred & thirty
dollars, to Mr. Prescott, six feet square,
two feet, two hundred & six dollars
to Ezra Trull, for eighty seven feet
square, two hundred & sixty two dollars & fifty
cents, to Mr. Crozier, six feet square
for six, two feet of land one hundred
thirty, six dollars, amounting in the
whole to One thousand & three dollars & fifty
cents, and that the Mayor be authorized
to pay the money, when the deeds shall
be made & executed.

Anderson
Park Street

The Committee report the application of
Mr. Anderson to be exempted from the pay-
ment of his apportionment of the expense of the
Park Street drain. Reported, that said
Anderson ought to be apportioned in as much
as his cellar drains into Mr. Gordon's
cellar, which cellar has a drain into the
Common sewer. Read & accepted.

Porter
Pine Street

When the application of Capt. Samuel
Porter to open a drain the ground in Pine
Street for the purpose of creating a new com-
mon sewer. Resolved, that it is expedi-
ent to grant the same.

Dyer

Notice was received and read
from Ezra Dyer, desiring to erect the
Office of a Surveyor of the Town of Worcester.

Lewis

Charles Lewis's application for a
Wholesale License was granted.

John Howe licensed as a Victualler
No 102 Park Street, he having removed from
Ann Street.

Adjourned to Monday next to
obtain Mr. Atter

J. M. Colman. Secy. Clerk

Special Meeting.

Wednesday Nov. 19. 1823.

Present - The Mayor, Aldermen
Odiorne, Child, Dorr, Benjamin, Patten
and Eddy.

Overscers of
House of
Correction

Messrs. Moses Grant and Samuel
Train were nominated and appointed
Overscers of the House of Correction.

Adjourned to Monday next
6 o'clock P.M. Atted,

(M. C. Lary, City Clerk
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Nov. 26.
Nov. 81.

Recd. of Henry Hubbard for City Seal
and Vollen.

Monday November 24th 1873.

Met according to adjournment.

Present— The whole board

Roby The committee appointed to examine the condition of Elizabeth Roby, reported that they found the said Elizabeth, non compos mentis head and accepted and certified to the Judge of Probate accordingly.

Amos \$6.00 was drawn for the District Court.

Projection of goods into the streets Mr. H. Williams came up with a message from the Common Council to propose amendments to an ^{existing} Ordinance prohibiting the projection of goods & other articles into the streets. Alderman Eddy was charged with a message to inform the Common Council that the Board of Aldermen agree to said amendments.

Fire Engines Mr. Winslow came up with a message from the Common Council to request that the report on the subject of fire engines may be sent down if the board is not acting upon the same. The board being acting upon the said report the same was not sent.

Deer & Rainford
Islands

Read at
May

The Committee on the subject of
the present State of Deer & Rainford's Islands
& the measures necessary to be taken for
their protection made a report of sundry
Resolutions for the preservation of the
same. Read & accepted. Sent
down for concurrence. Came up concurred
& the Common Council appointed their
President, Messrs. Savage, Oliver & Dexter
with such on the board of Aldermen
might join, also committed to carry into
effect the second, third & fourth Resolutions.
Came up for concurrence. Read &
concurred, & the Mayor, Aldermen Child
& Benjamin are joined.

Primrose
Alms House

Order of the Common Council
relative to the subject of Mrs. Binney
Esq^r's proposition to purchase the Alms
House in Levee Street, committing the
same with the documents accompanying
to Messrs. Swell, Kendall, Baldwin & Oliver
& Savage, with such as the board of
Aldermen might join, to consider & report.
Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred
& the Mayor, Aldermen, Child, Benjamin
and Eddy are joined.

Wadhams

Application in behalf of Dorris Wadhams to have his hand cut and in Union Street Head & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr to consider & report.

Vannevar

Application of James Vannevar for a loan from the Franklin fund read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson to consider & report.

Wisoners

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen Patterson and Hooper, be a committee upon the subject of provisions of the prisoners, and the compensation of the Gaol, for the same, and to report.

Hastings

Ordered, That Samuel Hastings, amount of ten dollars be allowed for removing his steps in North Street.

Hanover & Elm Street

Ordered, That the Committee of the District cause a sufficient fence to be erected at the corner of Hanover & Elm streets.

Sears
Wadsworth

Petition of David Sears, Father, to have Wadsworth Street paved, read and committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne Child, Benjamin and Eddy, to consider & report.

Mayor and
Aldermen &
Surveyors of
Highways

Order of the Common Council
appointing Messrs. Lortie, Tupper, Adams,
Wales & Hodder, with such as the Mayor
Aldermen might join, a committee to consider
report upon the propriety of extending of
extending the jurisdiction of the Mayor and
Aldermen and Surveyors of Highways, so far
as to give them the same power & authority
to regulate, govern, alter, & repair all
streets, avenues, alleys and uninclosed lanes
which now are or shall hereafter
may be laid open for the passage of
carriages foot passengers, or any public
use in the same manner as those
streets which are, or shall be accepted
by the City authorities. Came up for
concurrent. Read & concurred, & the
Mayor, Aldermen Baxter, Dorr & Hosper
are joined.

Engines

The Committee appointed to con-
sider if any & what alterations are required
in relation to the compensation to be
allowed to the several Engines made in
Report, which was read & accepted with
an amendment. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Apposers
read at
sup

The Committee appointed upon the
subject of increasing the compensation to the
permanent apposers - made a report,
which was read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.
nominations in the Common Council.

Wheeler
read at

Publication of Samuel S. Wheeler, to
have the common sewer ^{extended} leading from Pleasant
Street towards the back bay Head &
committed to the Mayor, Aldermen
Naylor and Hooper, to consider and
report.

Female
Refuge &

Order of the Common Council, of
appointing committing the petition of the
Female Refuge Society, to a select committee
of Messrs. Dapian, Russell, Kendall & Hartings with
such as the board of Aldermen might join
to consider & report, to come up for con-
currence. Read & concurred, and the
Mayor Aldermen Odiorne, Leitch, are

Horses

joined
Ordered, that Aldermen Leitch, Pea-
samin & Eddy be a committee to consider the
subject of the keeping & employment of the
horses belonging to the City during the
winter months.

Stamcock

Short str.

Application of John L. Stamcock.
to have a lamp added in Short Street.
Read & committed to Aldermen Brewster &
Childs to consider & report.

Howard and

Bulfinch

St.

Ordered, that Aldermen Edgins &
Wassamin be a committee to consider the
subject of placing a lamp at the corner
of Howard & Bulfinch streets.

Melrose St.

drain

Ordered, that the Mayor and
Alderman Hooper be a committee to
take into consideration the subject of
reconsideration of the appointment of drain
in Melrose Street.

Projections into

the streets

An enrolled ordinance pro-
hibiting the projection of goods or other
articles into the streets - passed.

House of

Correction

Rules for the government and
regulation of the House of Correction.
Reported by a committee upon the subject
Read and passed.

Lewis

Reporters

The Committee appointed to consider the subject of the Petition of Winslow Lewis, & praying the City Council to take measures to decide what the City ought to pay to the Proprietors of the Rinkwalks for their rights in the land at the bottom of the Common made a report which was read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence - Came up concurred, & the following order passed by the Common Council, that Messrs E. Williams, Dexter, Coolidge, Davis, Savage, with such as the board of Aldermen might ^{join} be a committee to carry the said Report into effect. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred, and the Mayor, Aldermen Child, Benjamin & Dove are joined.

Wattle

Chand

The committee of the District agreeable to instructions at seven o'clock in the morning of the 18th instant proceeded to carry the order, to be executed, by the fence around Wattle street Church. At nine o'clock the S.^d fence was taken down & deposited in the meeting house yard, the said work being accomplished without molestation or complaint, & in the course of the day the paving was repaired on the side way which was broken up. Read & accepted

Greenough
South Allen
St.

The Committee on the petition of David Greenough & John D. Morrocks to have South Allen Street, filled up at the entrance - Reported, that they have complied with the request of the Petitioners. Read & accepted.

Lewis
Proposals

Ordered, that the Commissioner on the first proposition of William Lewis in behalf of the proprietors of the Proposals lands be discharged, the subject being superseded by subsequent propositions.

King

The Committee on the petition of Joseph King, to have a lamp lighted in Crescent Court Reported, that the Superintendent of lamps be instructed to light the said lamp when in complete order.

Read & accepted.

Female Refuge
Co.

The Committee upon the petition of the Female Refuge Society, Reported, that any further consideration of the subject in this form is rendered inexpedient by means of a subsequent application to the Common Council which may render necessary a joint Committee - Read & accepted, & said Committee are discharged.

Oliver St. The Committee on the petition of W. G. Oliver concerning Oliver Alchornul streets, reported, that the subject of the petition has been disposed of by compliance in part with the prayer thereof.
Read and accepted.

Oliver St. The Committee on the subject of the side walk in front of Messrs. Callender & J. J. J. state - reported, that Mrs. Callender being quitted, the Committee request a discharge from the further consideration of this subject. Read and the Committee is discharged accordingly.

Colting Street. The Committee on the petition of Ann Letting, others relative to dirt & dust in Lower St. Street, reported that the prayer of the petition has been attended to & the street sufficiently tarred.
Read & accepted.

Romick North Allen St. The Committee on the petition of Samuel H. Romick others, to have a street accepted leading from North Allen Street to Poplar Street - Reported, that said street is private property, & needs filling up & side walks made before it can be expedient for the City authorities to take any measures in relation thereto.
Read & accepted.

Discus

Patrick Tigue having removed from Wilson Lane to Stage Alley was licensed at the last mentioned place as a victualler

Darin, Watkins & Horea Sargent,
were Licensed as Virtualles.

Application of Edmund Barnard
to be licensed as a Virtualist not
granted.

House of
Correction

Rules and regulations for the
government of the House of Correction,
report by a committee.

Read and accepted.

Adjourned to Thursday next 16th Oct.
Jm. Allen
J. M. Charles, Esq, Clerk
1833

Thursday November 27th 1823.

Met according to adjournment,
Present The whole board except Alderman Prime

House of
Correction

Ordered, That Aldermen Childs, Todd,
Patterson be a committee to take into
consideration the subjects of rules & regulations
for the government of the House of Correction
and report.

Williams
Court

Ordered, That the Boardmaster of the
District Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin be
authorized to build a drain in Williams
Court if they see fit, and that W. March
construct the same under the direction of S.
Committee.

Brattle St.
Church

Ordered, ~~That~~, That the Mayor notify the
Standing Committee of Brattle Street Congregation,
that the convenience of the City requires that
the North standing on Brattle Street should
be removed at the expiration of the thirty days
specified in the vote of seventh instant heretofore
communicated to that Committee; and that this
notice is given to the end, that if the con-
venience, or accommodation of that society
requires any interior arrangements of that
Church

Wentworth St.
Church

Church, with reference to such removal,
they may have an opportunity, or that
moreover.

And that the Mayor express to the
standing Committee of that Congregation,
that the inclination and readiness of this
board upon the said removals being ef-
fectual to finish the southern door steps,
to close the present south gallery door of
said Church in such way, & in such
style as the standing Committee shall
suggest. It being the anxious wish of the
Mayor & Aldermen so to effect the alter-
ations requisite, in consequence of the re-
moval, 'demanded by the convenience of
the City, as shall best comport with the
constant convenience of the Ministers of
said Church. And if in any other respect
the removal can be made more ac-
ceptable to that Congregation upon notice
this board will take the same into
consideration.

South Street
Church

Ordered, That the Mayor be re-
solved to the Committee on the Petition of the
South Street Church Committee

Grand Jury

The Committee upon the memorial of the Grand Jury relative to the State of the Road made a report which was read & received, and thereupon Ordered, that the City Clerk forward the same to the Grand Jury with an attested copy thereof.

Revolving St. Drain

Ordered, that the Mayor, Aldermen, Payton & Hodges be a committee on the subject of the improvement on the property of Drain in Revolving Street on the petition of Elisha Penniman & others.

John & Mary
arrived
from
St. N.

Mrs. Holman & Mrs. Parman were licensed to give a Concert of Music at Foyston Hall, this evening & Saturday evening. They pay for their five dollars each night.

Flagg Stone

The Committee who was appointed to receive the cutting or grinding the flagging stones on the street, reported, that the Stone Cutter was employed at 16 1/2 cts per foot when there were six grooves to a foot, & when the stone required but three grooves had nine - the number of feet cut is 1787 & the whole cost \$297. 83. Read & accepted, & ordered to be paid.

County Gaols

Ordered, That the Mayor Alderman Hooper, be a Committee, to take into consideration the subject of the Keeper of the County Gaols infamy, obsequious to his Rules.

Prison St.

Ordered, That the subject of the Common sewer in Prison Street be committed to the Mayor.

Buttinch
and street

Ordered, That the Mayor Alderman Ydd, & Patterson, be a Committee to take into consideration Jeremiah Buttinch's claim relative to Ford Street drains. —

Fishermen

Ordered, That the Fishermen in the Market be permitted to put up ~~shells~~ sheds, with rough boards, for their accommodation.

Horses &
Carriages

Ordered That Alderman Hooper be a Committee to consider the subject of horses and Carriages standing on the Flag stones.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
Mm. Attest, J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday December 1st 1823.

Met according to adjournment.
Present. The whole board.

Thirty Juries drawn for the Supreme Judicial
Court.

Bartlett
Commissioner of
House of
Corrections

Levi Bartlett was nominated & appointed
an Overseer of the House of Corrections.

Andrew Mre, was nominated & appointed
assistant master for the House of Corrections.

Engines
numbered
1 to 17

The Mayor informed the board that
at eleven o'clock this day, all the Captains of
the Engine Companies resigned to him their
respective commands, & presented lists of their
respective companies purporting that the members
thereof did not accept the late City ordinance
that they accordingly resigned their respective
Engines &c. as on file.

Engine No. 16.
Torrent

Ordered, That the new Engine room
building by Mr. Fernsman to be located
at Fort Hill be numbered 16, & named
Torrent.

Engine No. 17.
South Boston

Ordered, That the new Engine building
for South Boston be numbered 17, & named
South Boston.

Gray
Menagerie of
Animals

Richard Gray's petition to be licensed to exhibit a Menagerie of Live Animals at No 36 Hanover Street - for three months from the tenth instant - Read & the prayer thereof granted upon paying fifty dollars per month -

Fannecoe

The Committee upon the application of James Fannecoe for a loan of Franklin money reported that they approved the business. Read & accepted and certified accordingly.

Foster

Broad Street

The Committee to whom the petition of William Foster, Others, for a drain in Broad Street, Reported, that the common sewer prayed for has been completed in a satisfactory manner by the Superintendent of drains of the City - and that the expenses of said the same be apportioned in three equal parts. Read & accepted, and thereupon Ordered, that the same be committed to the Mayor and Aldermen Lechild & Dove to make the apportionment.

Watkins

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Daniel Watkins, for

permission to stand with his hand laid in
Union street. Reported, that the prayer of
the petition be granted, be for on the
Read and accepted.

Warrant. Warrant drawn upon the City Treasurer
for amount of draft the last month being
\$26,985.17¹⁰⁰.

Warrant. Warrant drawn upon the City Treasurer
for the amount of the County
draft being \$693.59.

Dyer. The committee upon the application
of Ebenezer Dyer, for a loan of \$1000.
amount, reported, that they approved the
bondman. Read & accepted & certified
accordingly.

Trucker. Petition of John Trucker. Others,
to have the New North bells rung instead
at the second Church, read & committed
to Alderman Eddis & Patterson, to consider &
report.

License. John Ellins licensed as a Victualler.
Nathan Starkpole - victualler removed to
corner of Exchange street & Dork square -
licensed accordingly.

Phillips
Leverett St.

Return was made by Turner Phillips,
Esq. of the expense of repairing the common
sewer & sinking a reservoir in Leverett street.
The amount when being duly examined,
by this board, was by them allowed, it
appearing that all persons interested in
said common sewer had been notified.

And it appearing that the whole cost
of laying out making and returning said
common sewer amounts to five hundred &
ninety three dollars, and it also appears
that all the proprietors have paid their
apportments, except the the following, who
have lately entered their drains into said
common sewer viz: Joseph Hawco, from
drains from four tenements a \$18.25 - \$73. -
Mrs Sarah Mattuck 3 Dr. ----- 54.73
\$127.73

And the same is agreed upon them ac-
cordingly, and Council Phillips Esq. is authorized
and empowered to demand & receive the same
& to give discharges therefor.

Adjourned to Monday next to Clerk
J. M. Attest, J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Thursday December 14th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.
Present - The whole board except Hooper.

Gray Ordered, That the vote upon the
petition of Richard Gray, for a License to ex-
hibit a Menagerie of Animals, be so far re-
considered, as that the same be committed,
to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Once Resolved, That in the opinion of this
Engine No. 1 board, the Company formed for Engine No. 1. by
Samuel Jones, &c. under the order of Alderman Dorr,
in connection with those members of the old Company
who did not concur in resignation, is entitled to
that Engine, & that the City Clerk issue warrants
accordingly.

Adams Resolved, That in the opinion of this
board, the Gentlemen who associated with Mr.
Benjamin F. Adams for the purpose of forming
a 'Company for Engine No. 1. are entitled to the
thanks of this board for their distinguished & great
Valour in the service of the City; & that this
board regret that the superior circumstances have
controlled them to decide in favor of another
Company. Ordered, That the Mayor transmit
the above votes to Mr. Benjamin F. Adams, with a
request that he should communicate the same
to his associates as expressions of the sense of this
board of his & their merits.

Haskins

Essex street

Petition of Nath Haskins, Junr.
for a lamp, to be lighted in Essex street
read & committed to Aldermen Baxter &
Hooper, to consider & report.

Madlam

Garber

Stephen Madlam the Garber's account
read & committed to Aldermen Child, Dray-
ton and Eddy to consider & report.

Pollard

City Marshals;
and

Benjamin Pollard, Esq. City Marshals
account read & committed to Aldermen
Ediome & Baxter, to consider & report.

Darling

Petition of Thomas Darling, Father
praying that Richard Kimsey's estate
taken by the City for the purpose of
widening a street leading from North Allen
street to Poplar street ^{may be paid for} read & committed to
Aldermen Ediome, & Benjamin, to consider
& report.

Overseers of

House of Correction

Ordered, That the Mayor be authorized
to issue warrants, to the ~~the~~ Overseers of the
House of Correction, and furnish the Chairman
with the law for governing said House, &
the Mayor & Committee will attend to admit
them into Office at such time as they may
think fit.

Brattle St.
Church

Communication from the Proprietors of Brattle
Street Church protesting against the Mayor and
Aldermen's proceeding to take down the porch of
said House -

Read, and thereupon Ordered, That
the Committee of that District proceed and
cause said Porch to be taken down, at
the expiration of the time specified in the
report of this board, and that the committee
cause the side walk to be made.

Brattle St.
Church

Ordered, That Alderman Benjamin
be added to the Committee of the district
on the subject of Brattle Street.

Willard

Communication from Levi Willard,
others, concerning market carts, Toyshop benches
placed in front of their estates in Dorch Square.
Read & committed to Aldermen Chas & Dorr
to consider & report.

Coolidge,
Hanover &
Elm Streets

Proposition from Cornelius Coolidge
to submit the subject of the valuation of land
taken to widen Hanover & Elm streets, to the
decision of arbitrators to be chosen as therein
specified. Read & accepted, provided that
Mr. Coolidge shall be duly authorized by
all the Proprietors commencing at Mr. Whitwell,
in

it being understood that the former offer of
this board, shall not be considered as their
opinion of the value of the land;

Roulstone
Napier st.

Petition of John Roulstone, Valuer
for a lamp in Napier street. Read and
committed to Alderman Baxter & Cooper
to consider & report.

Plambeck
Short street

The Committee on the Petition of
John G. Plambeck, for a lamp to be lighted
in Short street, reported, that the prayer
of said petition be granted.

Read & accepted.

Porter.

The Committee on the subject of
the apportionment of a drain on the appli-
cation of William Foster, Valuer, further
reported, that the expense of said drain
or common sewer be apportioned in equal
parts per agreement of the parties on
William Foster, Agent, William Foster,
Abraham & Greenleaf. Read & accepted.

Wilkins
Penobscot land

The Committee appointed on the
communication of John Wilkins Esq. relative
to the ownership of land owned by the
Society in the County of Penobscot, reports.

That the amount of Mr. Wilkins account be
paid, and that Thomas S. Pitt, Ranger,
or some suitable person residing near the
property be appointed Agent for the City to
prevent trespasses on the township, ascertain
the quality, value & the land, pay the
taxes, that shall be assessed thereon, &
give the Mayor such information in
relation to the premises as he shall from
time to time obtain I think will be
sufficient.

Read & accepted.
Sent down for concurrence.
Carried up concurred.

Wardman
North Street

Petition of Thomas S. Wardman, Father,
concurring respondent of Fish Street Drain on
them they being owners & voters on North
Street. That they may be relieved from the
same. Read & committed to the Mayor,
Wardman Eddy & Patterson, to consider & report.

Adjourned to Monday next to Clerk
Jm.

Attest,

C. W. McLean, City Clerk

Monday December 8th 1823.

Met according to adjournment

Present. The whole board.

Lovell & George
Halls

The Mayor's message relative to Lovell & George's Islands in the Harbor of Boston, as a barrier for the protection of its harbor, and the importance of purchasing said Islands for public use. Read & committed to the Committee of the City Council who have under consideration the subject of Deer Island. Islands, to consider & report.

Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Market

Report of the Committee of the City Council. The ~~Mayor~~ ^{Mayor} relative to establishing a new market eastward, & to build a new vegetable market. Read & committed to the Mayor. Aldermen Leitch, Benjamin & Patterson, with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred, and the Common Council gave in its part Messrs. Dexter, Silsby, C. Williams, Dr. Russell, Winslow & Tappan.

Smith.

The board reconsider their last vote on the amendment proposed by the Common Council, on the petition J. Elmer Smith, and confer with the Common Council.

Friend St.
draw

The Cost of the Friend sheet drawn a Common sewer ^{was returned} and the same was asessed, when the Proprietors of estates & those who receive benefit from the same as on file.

Vore

Petition of Isaac Vore, Father, praying that a free passage may be granted to the Citizens of Boston, to & from South Boston - Read & committed to Aldermen Edinore, Dorr and Eddy, with such as the Common Council may join, to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred. The Common Council joined on its part Mep^s Bond, Oliver, Miller, Brooks & Wright.

South Boston
&
Charlestown
bridges

Order of the Common Council appointing Mep^s Elliot, Lamson, Dyer, Shaw, Kendall, Hastings, Sweet, Davis, E. Williams, Baldwin, Howard, & Jackson, with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a committee to consider & report what order, if any, ought to be taken by the City government respecting the petition

from South Boston, & Charlestown to add
two new avenues to this City, now pendi-
ing before the Legislature. Came up for
Concurrence. Read & concurred, un-
animously. Aldermen Baileys, O'Brien, Child, Eddy,
& Hooper are joined.

Southack
Temple street.

Petition of Francis Southack, &
others, for liberty to repair a drain or
common sewer in Temple street. Read and
committed to the Aldermen O'Brien and
Benjamin to consider and report. —

City Marshall
ac't.

The Committee on the City Marshall
account reported, that they have examined the
same and find it rightly added well vouched
& the balance in the hands of the City Marshall
is \$407. 81. Read & accepted. Whereupon
Ordered, that said balance be paid into the
City Treasury. —

Lynn.

The Committee to whom the report
of the order of the Mayor & Aldermen upon the
petition of Richard Lynn, to exhibit a Manager
of his Animals — reported, that it is their opinion
that the monthly consideration of fifty dollars per
month ought to be adhered to.

Read & accepted.

Roulstone, Napau Court
The Committee on the petition of John Roulstone, Napau Court, has a lamp in Napau Court - reported that if the petitioners erect a lamp in said Court, that the same be lighted at the expense of the City. Read & accepted.

Haskins
Esq. &c.
The Committee on the petition of Ralph Haskins that a lamp be lighted in the rear of his Distil House in Essex street near South street in a passage way leading down the wharf. Reported, that the prayer of said petition be granted. Read & accepted.

Hayward
Clark of Market
The Committee to whom was referred the account of Leald Hayward, Clerk of Council Hall, Market for the month of November last, reported, that said account is well rendered. Friendly Court, gave six & a quarter cents against the City which said Hayward has agreed to pay to the Credit of the City in his next account - they therefore recommended that Mr. Hayward's account be paid, and ordered that the same be paid into the Treasury.

Hayward
Orange St.
Ordered, that Alderman Baxter be added to the Committee on the petition of Dost Hayward, for compensation for his land taken to widen Orange street.

Middle &
Prince street
drains

The Cost of Middle street & Prince
street drain or common sewer, being re-
turned; the same was apportioned on the pro-
prietors of estates fronting on the said streets
and those who received benefit from the
same.

Adjourned to Thursday next 12 o'clock
Mm. J. M. Cleary, Esq. Clk.

Thursday December 11th 1823.

Met according to adjournment,

Present - The whole board except Alderman
Lutton.

Wattle &
Lehman

The Mayor laid before the board a
proposition from the standing committee of
Wattle street Church, offering to receive three thousand
five hundred dollars, in full compensation for
the land taken, by the board as Surveyors of
highways, for the damages done by the removal
of their porch & fence.

Which being heard & considered it
was Resolved, that in the opinion of this
board it is not for the interest of the City
to accept that proposition.

Also resolved, that this board renew
the offer of two thousand dollars, in full
compensation for the land taken & damage
done by the said removal, on the condition
expressed in their vote of the 7th of November
last.

Collins

Petition of Daniel Collins, praying for a license
to exhibit a dwarf Cow. & a Deer. Read &
the prayer thereof granted paying two
dollars a week.

Parker

Petition of Samuel D. Parker Esq.
praying to be discharged at the end of
the present quarter viz: 8th January next
from the care of his Office in the
State House. Read & committed to
Aldermen Child, & Dorr, to consider &
report.

Willard

Dock Square

The Committee on the Petition of
Levi Willard & others, relative to incumbrance
in Dock Square made a report as on
file. Read & accepted.

Nyman
Orange St.

Ordered, that the Aldermen
Barter & Hooper, be recommended to con-
sider the subject of the charge of repairing
Mr. Nyman's drain in Orange street.

Licenses

Terence Collins and Eps. Amosby
were licensed as Vintners.

Warrant

Warrant drawn on the City Treasury
for quarter salary of the Justice & Clerks
of Police Court amounting to \$1650.

Adjourned to Monday next to take
up the
C. W. Dorr City Clerk.

Mill Pond
Lands

The Committee of the City Council to whom was referred the application of the Mill Pond Proprietors, declining that it was not their intention to proceed any further in filling up their shares, offering to sell, their or buy the City's interest in said Mill Pond.

Reported, That in the opinion of the said Committee, it is inexpedient for the City to make any propositions upon the subject of the application of the Mill Pond Proprietors; at the same time they are of opinion that it will be expedient to express to said Proprietors the willingness of the City Council to receive and consider any proposition which the said Proprietors may see fit to make on the subject.

Read & accepted, Whereupon Ordered, that the City Clerk transmit a copy of this report to the Petitioners. Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Adjourned to Monday next 10 o'clock.

Mm.

Attest,

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Monday December 15th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

Present - The whole board except Alderman Hooper.

Coverly
Belknap

Petition of Samuel Coverly, Father, praying for liberty to open a drain in Belknap street. Read & the prayer being granted provided the persons interested shall first agree to pay the expense thereof the same to be done under the direction of Mr. Mayor.

Hook Ladder
Co

Petition of the Hook Ladder Company praying that they may be furnished with a Ladder pole to raise the ladders. Read & committed to Alderman Child & Dorr with liberty to grant the same if they see fit.

Brattle Street
Church

Communication from the Committee of Brattle street Church. Proposing to remove the subject of damages for land taken to widen Brattle street. Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen Child, Dorr and Benjamin, to consider & report.

Lyons

Petition of Francis Green, & others,
praying that the bell of the second Church,
may be rung - read & committed to
Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider &
report.

Robbins

Petition of Edward B. Robbins and
others for compensation for land taken to
widen Milk Street. Read & committed to
Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider and
with authority to deal with the Petiti-
oner.

Temple
St

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Edwards, & Benjamin ^{Dorr & Child} be a Committee to con-
sider the expediency of widening Temple Street
and whether it would be for the interest of
the City to widen the same.

Hanover
St.

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Child and Dorr, be a Committee, to take
the land for widening Hanover Street ac-
cording to the Plan drawn by S. P. Fuller,
and said Committee are to proceed in the
reference to ascertain the damages, when
the necessary papers shall be completed.

Kimball

The Committee upon the application of The Kimball Ins^{rs} for a loan from the Franklin fund, reported that the same be granted the bondmen being approved, Resol^d accepted

Wheeler

Fish St.

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen, Patterson & Eddy, be a Committee upon the subject of the apportionment of Benjamin Wheeler for the drainage of his drain into the Common Sewer, in Fish Street.

Summer St.

Belknap St.

Hancock
Cost of Summer St. ~~Belknap~~ drain or common sewer being returned, the same was apportioned according to the schedule exhibited as on file.

Middle St.

Cost of Middle St. drain or common sewer, being returned the same was apportioned according to the schedule exhibited as on file.

Proton Lane

Middle St.

Cost of Proton Lane, Middle St. drain or common sewer, being returned, the same was apportioned according to the schedule exhibited as on file.

Newbury St.

Cost of Newbury St. drain or common sewer, being returned. The same was

was ~~exhibited~~ opened according to the
Schedule exhibited as on file.

High St.

Cost of High Street drain or com-
mon sewer, being returned, the same was
opened, according to the schedule exhibited as
on file. —

Brattle St.

Church

The committee who were instructed to
superintend, & cause the south porch of Brattle
Street Church, to be taken down, agreeable to the
order of the board of the Seventh, ultimo
made a ^{report} ~~report~~ as on file. ^{that they had}
~~made a~~ ^{reported} ~~report~~ ^{Read, & accepted.}

March

Communication from Ephraim March,
Superintendent of drains, shunts &c. read and
his account for services allowed amounting to
\$566. —

Hodden

Martin Hodden, Auctioneer, removed
from No 19 Kille, shant to No 11 same, shant
was licensed at the latter place.

Campbell

William Campbell's application to be
licensed, as a Victualler No 3 Board alley
not granted.

Mapes

John Mapes, Virtualles remains
from No 3 Water street, from No 154
Mad Broad street was licensed at the
first named place.

Ripley

John Ripley, licensed as a
Virtualles No 42 Fish street. —

Parker

The committee on the communications
of Samuel D. Parker, Esq. concerning giving
up his Office in Old State house
reported, that the notice given by said
Parker is not sufficient, I recommend that
he keep the provisions until the 8th of
March next. Read & adopted.

Adjourned to Thursday next to Clerk
J. M. Otter
J. M. Otter, City Clerk.

Thursday December 18th 1825.

Met according to adjournment.
Present. The whole board.

30 jurors drawn for the Supreme Judicial Court.

34. Jurors drawn for the Municipal Court.

Vanover Street
The Committee who were directed by the Mayor Aldermen on the 16th instant, to take measures & consider the expediency of taking certain pieces of land, for the purpose of widening Vanover street from sundry persons - Reported as on file. Read & accepted.

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen Benjamin together with the Committee of the District viz Aldermen Child & Dorr, be a Committee to attend before the Arbitrator, appointed to assess the damages for said land.

Abd.
Application of Joel Abbott, to be licensed as an auctioneer in Park Street read & committed to Aldermen Eddy and Patterson, to consider & report.

licenses
Azariah Fuller, David Dimond, and Elizabeth Haves, were licensed as Victuallers.

Engineer
W. M.

Ordered, That Aldermen White
and Dorr, be a committee to consider
the expediency of increasing the number
of men for Engineer W. M.

Chart

Moses F. Swett, licensed as
a Virtualist.

H. M.

The Mayor and Aldermen certify
to the Judge of Probate for the County of
Suffolk, that in their judgment John Horsa,
a M. F. prisoner does by excessive drinking
and idleness so spend Swett's money as to
as thereby to expose himself & family to want &
suffering circumstances, & does also thereby en-
danger the City to a charge or expense for
his & their maintenance & support, & pray
that some suitable person be appointed
Guardian to said Horsa.

(Adjourned to Monday next to City
M. Attorney.

Wm. C. Clegg, City Clerk
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Monday December 22^d 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

Present - The whole board.

Members
Ordered, That the Mayor & Alderman Hooper, with such as the Common Council may join, be a committee to consider the expediency of applying to the Legislature of this Commonwealth, for an alteration of an act entitled, "An act to prevent the introduction of paupers from foreign parts or places" said committee are instructed to report the draft of a bill for that purpose. Sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred. The Common Council joined on its part Messrs. E. Williams, Adam Curtis.

Election Law
Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen Odiorne, Child, & Hooper, be a committee to take into consideration the Election Law & report.

Collier
Petition of William Collier, for the use of the room in the School House in Fair Hill for his two daughters to teach a school for mutual instruction. Read & transmitted to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Robbins
Milk Street.

Petition & report of the Committee on
the petition of Edward H. Robbins and
relatives to widening Milk Street, re-
mitted to the former Committee.

Farnham

Petition of Henry Farnham, for a
Milton street. Lamp in Milton ^{street}, read & committed to Alder-
Benjamin, to consider & report.

Winthrop place

Ordered, that the City Superintendent
of Lamps be authorized to light a lamp in
Winthrop place, when such lamp shall be
erected by the proprietors.

Wentworth

Petition of Philip Wentworth, & others
with Federal relation, to vacate or occupy in or near
Court North Federal Court, read & committed to
the Mayor, Aldermen Baader, Child,
Benjamin, Patterson, & Eddy, to consider &
report.

Kim

Kim
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Petition of Arthur J. Kim, to be
licensed to give a concert at the Exchange
Coffee House for one night. Read & the
prayer thereof granted upon paying two
dollars.

Wyman - The committee on the complaint of Mr.
Orange H. Wyman, that he has unjustly been taxed
for paving in Orange, that reported, that
said Wyman ought not to pay the sum, as
he previously agreed to the directions of the
former board. Read & accepted.

Ice & Snow - An Enrolled ordinance relating to
Ice and Snow in the streets - passed.

See. 1
Kearnsford
Islands - The committee who were directed to
prepare a memorial to the National Legis-
lature, on the subject of Deer & Kearnsford Islands
being, after reported the draft of such a
memorial for consideration & adoption. Read &
accepted. & thereupon Ordered, that the Mayor
be requested to transmit said Memorial to the
Representatives of this District in the Congress of
the United States. Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Engine No. 16. Ordered, that warrants for thirty feet
water be granted for Engine No. 16. Commenced
by Capt. Adams.

Engine No. 13. Memorial of Nathaniel Hammond,
Master of Engine No. 13, relative to articles
belonging to a Company. Resolved, that the
Aldermen Odiorne & Thompson be considered.

Books for
Inquiries

Ordered, That the Mayor be au-
thorized to have sundry books prepared
for all the Inquire Companies to be received
for as the property of the City.

Green

The committee on the Petition of
Francis Green Others, to have the bell of the
Second Church rung. Reported that the Mayor
of the Petition has granted Read & accepted

Trucker

The Committee on the Petition of
Thomas Trucker, Others, to have the bell of
the New North Church rung. Reported that it
is inexpedient to grant the same.

Atott

The committee on the Petition of
Joel Atott, to be licensed as an Auctioneer
in Fish street Reported, that it is not
expedient to grant a license for an auctioneer
there in said street. Read & accepted.

Licenses -
granted.

Cyprian Smith having removed to the
corner of Pitts & South Margin streets, has
been licensed at that place.

Dec. 26. 1823
Wm. N. Bayleson
City Secy. \$1 p.

John Emerson and George A. Shepley
were licensed as Victuallers.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
Pm. Attest J. M. McLean, City Clerk.

Monday December 29th 1823.

Met according to adjournment.

²⁴ Present. The whole board.

34 jurors drawn for the Court of Common Pleas.

^{solidge.} Memorial of Cornelius Coolidge, stating that he is about building at the corner of Bracon & Belknap streets - praying that the lines said streets may be run. Read and committed to Aldermen Otis & Benjamin, to consider & report.

^{Schoolhouse} The Committee reported the draft and the N.C. agreement to build a school house in Ward No. 6 which was read & ordered to be signed, and the same was executed by the committee, on the part of the City - and Charles Wells and Levi Brigham on the other part.

^{Collier} The committee on the Motion of Wm. Collier, for the use of room in Boylston School. Reported that the subject be referred to the School Committee. Read and accepted.

^{Baker} William Baker's application for a loan of money from the Franklin fund. Read & committed to Aldermen Bayley & Hooper, to consider & report.

^{Abbot} Jos. Abbot's application to be licensed as an Auctioneer No. 2 Front Street. Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr, to consider & report.

Hawes' Pet.

Memorial of Joseph Hawes Pet. relating to agreement for entering their drains into Common sewer in Leverett's street. Read & committed to Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider & report.

Raymond

Petition of Joel Raymond to have a new stand in Leverett street, read and committed to Aldermen Odiorne, Benjamin with such as the Common Council may join to consider & report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up for concurrence. The Common Council joined on its part Messrs S. Perkins, Shaw & Dexter.

Clark

Application of Phineas Clark to open a drain in Temple street - referred to the Aldermen Odiorne & Benjamin.

Payson

Order of the Common Council ~~relating~~ directing five hundred dollars, to be paid from the City Treasury into the hands of the Mayor, to be disbursed by him for the benefit of the Family of Mr. Thomas Payson, late an Instructor in the Franklin School, which sum shall be in full of all his claims against the City. Came up for Concurrence. Read & nonconcur.

Payson.

Mr. Oliver came up with a message from the Common Council to request that the paper and documents relative to Thomas Payson's grant may be sent down. And the same was sent ~~down~~ to the Common Council accordingly.

Payson.

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs. Oliver, ~~Richard Shaw~~ & Stevens a committee to confer with such committee as the board of Aldermen may appoint as their part relative to the subject matter of difference between the two boards relative to the subject of a grant to Thomas Payson. Came up for concurrence. Read Hansard and Aldermen Child, Benjamin Paddy are appointed on the part of this board.

Blanchard

Application of Mrs. Blanchard to be remunerated for land taken to widen Hanover Street referred to Aldermen Child, & Dorr, to consider & report.

Payson

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs. Wendell, Russell, & S. Perkins with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a committee to consider the expediency of prohibiting Pansail Hall, or any other

Public ~~place~~ building under the control of the City Council, being used for the purpose of holding Political, or caucus meetings on the evening of the Lord's day. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred and Aldermen Baxter and Osborne are joined.

City Charter
alteration.

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs S. S. Puttins, E. Williams, Siloby, Swell, & Elliot, with such as the Board of Aldermen might join, a committee to consider the expediency of calling a meeting of the Inhabitants of the City of Boston, to be held forthwith to consider the expediency of petitioning the Legislature, to alter the City Charter, that the Government may be organized as early as the first Monday of March annually. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred. The Mayor, Aldermen Eddy and Burr are joined.

Town Hall,

Market

The Committee who were authorized open a negotiation with the promoters of land adjoining Town Hall Market, relative to the purchase of their land for certain contemplated improvements made a report. Read & accepted in the Common Council. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred.

Page. When application of Phineas Page, Agent
claiming in behalf of the Managance of Animals, together
Oct. 30. 1873 with certificates from the Neighbours - to have
1880. the amount of his claim reduced. Read
and the board reconsider their former vote
and grant license to said Page, upon
paying forty dollars, for one month - and
that he be permitted to exhibit the Coy.
Cow keeper & Bear at some other place in
the City distinct from the other animals.

Woodward The committee on the petition of Joseph
Woodward, & others, praying that the old school
house in that part of the City called South
Boston, should be granted to them. Reported
that the prayer of the petition ought not
to be granted. Read & accepted.

Armstrong The committee to whom the petition of
David W. Armstrong, for compensation for land
taken to widen Court street - made a report as
on file, which was read & accepted.

French Memorial of Gideon French, setting forth
that he is owner of an estate in Cambridge
street adjacent to the County Jail, and that
he is much annoyed by the prisoners, confined
in

in said. God and their associates, by making
his road a thorough fare. Read & commit
to the Mayor Aldermen Thomas and
Benjamin, to consider & report.

Engine Companies, Rules and regulations of the
h. 2. 6. Engine Companies read and approved:

Canover St. The referees appointed by rule and
agreement entered into by the City and
May Boney, William H. Prescott, and
Charles Coolidge, to determine & appraise the
damages for land taken to widen Canover
St. shall, make a report, which said road
surveyed, & ordered to be recorded, and the
Mayor be authorized to draw upon the
Treasury for the amount thereof. The referees
charges sixty dollars allowed & ordered to be
paid.

Recd.

Wilder Harding licensed as a
Vintner.

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
P.M.

Attest,

L. M. McKay, City Clerk

Thursday January 1st 1824.

Met according to adjournment.

Present The whole board.

Parker,

Memorial and account of Dr. Thomas P. Parker, for his services as Physician of the House of Correction. Read & committed to the Committee on the Quol viz: Aldermen Child, Benjamin, and Eddy who are authorized to consider the subject of the appointment of a Physician to said House, and report.

Merrill,

Powder.

Horsey Merrill, keeper of the Powder Magazine, account read & committed to Aldermen Patterson & Eddy who are instructed to enquire into the state of the Powder belonging to the City & report.

North Margin
Street

Ordered, That Alderman Child, Eddy, Patterson be a committee to consider the expediency of extending North Margin Street through the land owned by Wm. H. Sumner Esq. until it shall meet Stillman Street, and report.

Greenough &
Crombie
Federal st.

Communication of David Greenough & Benjamin Crombie stating that they are owners of the land & buildings 125 feet on Federal street, North of the Church and that if the City intend widening the street they will see as much as may be wanted for that purpose. Read & committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr to consider & report.

Cody's
license revoked

Upon complaint made that the Patrick Cody, kept an irregular and disorderly house in ~~North~~ ^{Batten March} street, he being licensed as a victualler, and that several persons have been permitted to fight in his shop. whereupon

Resolved, that the license granted to said Patrick Cody No 10 Batten March street, be and hereby is revoked. And that the subject of prosecuting his bondsmen be committed to the Mayor for consideration.

Drains

Ordered, That the Mayor be authorized to cause permits to be ~~and~~ granted to repair drains under such person or persons as he may think proper.

Panvil
Hall

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen Benjamin Eddy, be a committee to enquire into the state of Panvil Hall; and of all the rooms in the said Hall building, and who occupy the same.

Mall & Farm

Ordered, That the Committee on the Mall and Common, take into consideration the Trees and fence, in and around the same.

Engine House
No. 15

Ordered, That Aldermen Eddy, & Patterson take into consideration the subject of the Engine House No. 15, and also whether it be advisable to hire or build another.

Printers
out

Ordered, That Aldermen Child, Dorr & Hooper, be a committee upon the subject of the printers accounts against the City.

Horses

Ordered, That Aldermen Dorr, Patterson & Eddy, have liberty to send over to South Boston, one pair of horses, if they see fit, and that said Committee be instructed to make any alteration in the disposition of the horses belonging to the City, they may think proper.

Beer Island

Ordered, That Aldermen Child, Patterson & Eddy, be a committee, with such as the Comm

Common Council, may join, be a Committee with full power to lease Deer Island, for the year ensuing. Sent down for Concurrence. Came up concurred, & the Common Council joined on its part. Messrs. Amory, Bates, Haskell, & Wales

Newell. Petition of Nathaniel A. Newell, to have a lamp lighted in Franklin Street which he has erected. Read and the prayer thereof, granted.

Farnham. The committee on the application of Henry Farnham, to have a lamp lighted in Milton Street, reported, that the same be lighted, as soon as the residents or owners of houses bounding thereon shall promise to put up a lamp at their own expense.

Read & accepted. —

Payson

The Committee of Conference appointed on the subject of disagreement of the two branches of the City Council, on the petition of Thomas Payson, reported that they had visited the Committee on the part of the Common Council and that they could not agree. Whereupon it was ordered, that this board adhere to its own vote.

March

Memorial of Ephraim Marsh, relative to paving which he has caused to be repaired, when it has failed, in consequence of individuals opening drains or common sewers and deposits in the public streets. Read & committed to the Mayor with direction to have the several persons interested to the pay their proportions.

March

Ephraim Marsh's account for horse hire, read and committed to the Mayor to consider and report.

Numbering
houses on
in the second
Streets

Order of the Common Council, appointing Messrs E. Williams, Wilkinson & Sprague, with such as the board of Aldermen might join, a Committee to inquire into the expediency of authorizing the Mayor & Aldermen to regulate and appor suitable numbers on the dwelling houses & stores, in any street within the City with liberty to report by ordinance or otherwise. Came up for concurrence. Read & concurred, and Aldermen Edinore, Torrill and Patterson are joined.

Blanchard

The committee to whom the request of Mary Blanchard was referred, reported, that it is their opinion, that she be allowed & paid

paid by the City as damages for the land taken from her lot to widen Hanson street in front of her stable. The sum of seventy four dollars & sixty seven cents, being two dollars & per foot, for the land so taken, being thirty seven and one third of a foot, and the above being exclusive of the expenses which the City have been at in cutting of her stable.
Read & accepted

Winnisimit
Ferry

Ordered, that the subject of Winnisimit Ferry ways, and the fish box at the head of the ways also the fish box near Hancock's wharf, also the head of the lower dock where the Oyster boats lay. Also the lot next to Corneys on Lynn street, and another near Hancock's wharf, and another near Mount Pleasant corner - a slip near Lamb street, & other places in the City - be committed to the Mayor for consideration.

Robbins
Milk Street

The Committee upon the application of Edward H. Robbins Junr. for remuneration for land taken to widen Milk street make a report as on file. Read & accepted

Abbott

The Committee on the application of Paul Abbott to be licensed as an Auctioneer in Market Street, reported, that it is inexpedient to grant the same.
Read & accepted.

Merrimack

Henry Burroughs was licensed as an Auctioneer at Merchants Hall.

Merrimack

John Burbank and Simon Bayley were licensed as Pinholders.

Old State

Home

The Committee appointed on the subject of the sale of the Old State to the N. S. Bank, reported, that ^{by letter in from the Bank it is stated} "under existing circumstances it is not deemed expedient for the Bank to purchase any part of the land on which the Old State Home stands."

Read & sent down.

Accounts

Warrant drawn upon the City Treasurer for the amount of accounts to this day amounting to \$18,826. $\frac{26}{100}$.

Warrant drawn upon the City & County Treasurer for the amount of County accounts to this day amounting to \$18.32. $\frac{78}{100}$.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
P. M.

Attest.

C. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Monday January 5th 1824.

Met according to adjournment.
Present. The whole board except Aldermen
Patterson and Eddy.

Edmunds

George W. Edmunds application for a loan
from Franklin fund, approved - read & passed
accordingly.

City Charter

The Committee appointed to consider the
expediency of calling a meeting of the Aldermen
to consider the expediency of petitioning the
Legislature so as to alter the City Charter.
That the government may organize as
early as the first Monday of March an-
nually - Reported. That ~~then~~ it is not
expedient for the City Council at present
to take any measures upon the subject
Here I accepted. Sent down for concurrence
Come up for concurrence

Greenough &
Crombie
Federal St.

The Committee to whom was referred
the petition of David Greenough & Benjamin
Crombie, respecting their land in Federal
street north of the meeting house - Reported
as on file. Read & accepted.

Ruggles

Petition of Levi Ruggles, to have a
piece of land at the bottom of the Common
near the Western Avenue. Read &

Ordered, that it is inexpedient to grant
the prayer of said petition.

Parker,
Newbury
Esq.

The common in the petition of Thomas
S. Parker, for compensation for medical attendance
on the inmates of the House of
Correction, in the County Gaol - made a
report as on file. Read & accepted.

Trusts

Petition of Ephraim Trusts to have arbitra-
tors appointed to adjust the damages for lands
taken to widen Pearl street. Read & referred
to the Mayor.

Newbury St.
drain

The board, reconsider their former vote
relative to the appointment of the Newbury street
drain, and thereupon the board make a new
appointment as on file.

Hayward
Clerk of
Panenil
Hall Market

Caleb Hayward Esq's account as Clerk
of Panenil Hall Market for the last month
amounting to \$703.76. Read & approved, the
same is paid into the Treasury.

Vitnallor

Samuel Holbrook licensed as a
Vitnallor.

Small Pox.

Upon the Communication of the Hon^{ble} Commissioners stating that the Small Pox is prevalent in Philadelphia & New York, & that it has likewise appeared in Lexington, & that there are reasons to fear that it may be brought into this City. I recommending a general vaccination of all persons who are subject to said disease.

Whereupon Ordered, that the Int^{rs} of this City be notified to meet in their respective Wards, and that it be recommended to them to choose Committees, for the purpose of taking measures to secure the Inhabitants against the Small Pox, by vaccinating all persons who are subject to the same, or otherwise as to them may seem proper.

And for the purpose of promoting unanimity in the proceedings of the several wards, the Board recommended that three or more persons to be called a vaccinating committee be appointed in each ward to visit every house with a Physician, with whom they shall have made a previous agreement, prepared with vaccinating matter, & to recommend vaccination to every member of the family who may be in danger of the Small Pox; & to keep a record

Records in a book of all persons, vaccinated, or, who may refuse vaccination, and the reasons of such refusal. A book suitable for the purpose will be furnished to the Committee of each ward, on application to the Commissioners of Health.

Warrant for - Warrants issued accordingly to be held in the several wards on Monday next at 12 o'clock noon.

Warren
~~Warren~~ St.
Wagon

Ordered, That Sixty Cents per foot be allowed to Mr. Bopa for land taken to widen ~~Warren~~ street. And that the Mayor be authorized to draw warrants for the amount and the Mayor and Alderman Hooper be a Committee to ascertain if the proprietors upon the opposite sides of the said street contribute towards the same.

Dome street
School pump Committee upon the subject of the injury to Dome street School Pump.

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
pm. Attest
C. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Thursday January 8th 1824.

Met according to adjournment
Present - The whole board

Grand Jury
Gaob

A communication from the Grand Jury
relative to the state of the Gaob, and re-
commending that some further accommodation
for the debtors. ~~reported~~ Read & committed
to Aldermen Child, Benjamin & Eddy to
consider & report.

Haven

Certificate of the Assessors relative to
tax assessed upon Joseph Haven in 1822
that a mistake had occurred in assessing
the same. Read and committed to Aldermen
Hooper, with authority to assist the
same against his tax of 1823, if proper,
or do what may seem to him most in
the premises.

Fitch

Petition of Jeremiah Fitch & others
for additional lamps in Market street
Read & committed to Aldermen Child
& Eddy, to consider & report.

Green
Engine
No. 15.

~~John Fitch~~ amount of Thomas Green
for article for Engine No. 15 Read & com^d to
Aldermen Eddy & Patterson.

Brattle St. The Committee of the Brattle Street Church having communicated that they had selected three persons as referees from the names presented to them by this board viz: Messrs Samuel Dorr; Nathan Abbotson and John Belknap, this board is now recommended and select two from their list viz: Patrick J. Jackson and John T. Apthorp - And the above named five persons as referees to determine the damage for land taken from said Church to widen Brattle Street.

State House Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen and Odiorne & Hooper, be a committee upon the subject of the State House yard.

West. Ordered, That the Lien of Artemas West Virtually Keeper of Corner No 5 Dork square be and hereby is revoked.

Engine No 7 Rules & Regulations of Engine No 7 filed & approved by the Mayor & Aldermen.

Engine No 11 Rules & Regulations of Engine No 11 filed & approved by the Mayor & Aldermen.

Lien James W. Bathory, Virtually removed to Sea Street, Liened at the latter place.

Prosp to
South Boston.

The Committee to whom was referred the subject of enquiring into the expediency of "granting to the Citizens of Boston a free pass from South Boston," reported, that from a comprehensive view of the subject, embracing the local interests of Citizens of the South, and South Boston, together with the benefits that would accrue to the City, they are impressed with the belief, that it is desirable there should be a free pass between the City of Boston proper, South Boston, provided it could be obtained, without imposing any considerable part of the first cost upon the City Treasury.
Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence
Carried up concurred

Widges to
South Boston.
Charleston

The Committee instructed to consider & report what order it may ought to be taken by the City government, respecting the petition from South Boston, & Charleston to add two new avenues to this City, now pending before the Legislature," reported, that they do not find any necessity for the interference of the City government, and therefore recommended that no measures whatever be adopted to

by the City Council in relation to the projected
Bridges or Dam. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
came up concurred with an amendment.

Read & concurred.

Harris

The Committee upon the Petition of
Sam^l D. Harris, Esq. Marshall, praying for
leave to make alterations & repairs in the
Old Court House reported that permission
had been given to the Marshall to make the
alterations proposed for; but that a few days
subsequent thereto, he informed said Committee
that he should suspend for the present the
contemplated alterations. Read & accepted.

Raymond

The Committee upon the application of
Isaac Raymond to have a piece of land on
Leveall street reported that the whole
premises of the Allen house & appurtenances being
now for sale, it is deemed inexpedient to in-
cumber any part of it, by permitting small
buildings to be erected thereon. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence

came up concurred


and shall
train.

Return of the Cart of Pond street drain
or common sewer being returned, the same
was appraised according to the Schedule on file

Robinsons
Alley
North & Unity
Streets.

Return of the cost of the drain
or common sewer in Robinsons Alley
North & Unity streets, being returned, the
same is copied according to the schedule
on file?

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
P.M. After?

C. M. Cleary, Secy. Clerk


Monday January 12th 1824.

Met according to adjournment.

Present: The whole board.

Council Hall

Market
Room
large

The Committee of both branches of the
Circuit Court on the subject of the improvements
contemplated in the vicinity of Council Hall
market, Reported as on file.

Read and accepted.

Put down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

General meeting

Council Hall

Ordered, That a meeting of the citizens be
called to meet in Council Hall on Friday
next the 16th instant at 10 o'clock A.M. pursuant
to said report, to consider and determine upon
the questions therein submitted; and a warrant
was issued accordingly.

Griggs

The Committee on the Petition of David R.
Griggs, to have a piece of land between the Mill
Race and the River home, reported that the
petitioner having relinquished the object prayed
for the Committee request that they may be
discharged from the further consideration of the
subject. Read & adopted. Put down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

White
p. 89

Petition of Henry White, to be licensed
an Auctioneer. Read & committed to Aldermen
Odiorne, Child, Rorr and Eddy.

Gammou,
Engine No. 13.

The committee to whom was referred
the petition of Nathaniel Gammou master of
Engine No. 13. Reported, that the second-born
spokes ~~stated~~ to attended to by the job
have been all delivered up - as relates to
the other articles, the committee think it
would be necessary to themselves to continue
in them. The request to be discharged
from the petition. Further interference
Read & accepted

Fitch
Market Street

The committee to whom the petition of
Nathaniel Fitch, Father, for an additional number
of lamps in Market Street. Reported, that the
said petitioners have liberty to erect an addi-
tional number of lamps not exceeding six in said
street, at their own proper expense, provided
the direction of the Committee of that district
that the said lamps when so voted to
accepted & lighted by the City.
Read & accepted

Lyman The Committee on the petition of Theodore Lyman, Junior concerning a claim in Middle let street reported that the subject was adjourned, and the committee prayed to be discharged. Read & accepted

Laboratory Committee of board of fire wards concerning the State Laboratory, ^{respecting} the powder used and worked therein - Read & referred to the Mayor who is requested to apply to the Administration upon this subject.

Engines Under Regulation of the several Engines No 3, 5 & 15 No 15, 3 & 5 approved.

Licenses Benjamin Tilton licensed as a Vintner.

William Carlor, Vintner, removed to 9 Dock square - James W. Leathaker removed to a place licensed at the latter place.

Williams The Committee on the petition of John D. Williams & others, made a report, that School ~~house~~ in Napan street should not be discontinued; that no School house should be erected in Centre street, but one should be erected on the land of the City adjoining land of Joshua Davis, Esq. in Washington street.

That an appropriation be made for that
purpose not exceeding seven thousand
five hundred dollars. Read & the first
proposition accepted - and the second &
third propositions not accepted.

Vote down for concurrence.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
P.M.

Attest
J. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Thursday January 15th 1894.

Met according to adjournment.
Present - The whole board except Aldermen
Odiorne.

Santer

Benjamin Santer's application to be licensed
as a Victualler read & committed to Silas
Child & Son, to consider and report.

Tilston &c.

The subject of Tilston street referred
to the Mayor.

White

Henry White, licensed as an Auctioneer
in Kilby Street or Central street.

West

The board reconsider their former
vote relative to Artemas West's license
and the board restore him to the same.

Ballant.

Ordered that the Mayor, Aldermen
Eddy & Hooper, be a Committee to
take into consideration the subject of
persons carrying away ballast from
the lands belonging to the City.

Larkin

Wm Larkin Junr. licensed Victualler
read that, having removed from Amshurst

Powder

The Committee who were instructed
to inquire into the State of the Powder

Belonging to the City, at Jme. Hans-
reported as on file - Road Vauchers.

Adjourned, to Monday next 6th Clock,
Jm.

Attest,

J. M. Cleary, City Clerk.



Monday January 19th 1824.

Met according to adjourn.
Presents. The whole board.

Newhall
Watchmen

Petition of John Newhall & others, Watchmen
for increase of their pay
At the City, read & committed to Aldermen
Kuyler, Dorr and Eddy, to consider and
report.

Welsh
Hanover

Ordered, that Aldermen Child, Dorr
and Benjamin be a committee to ascertain
if Thomas Welsh Sr. is entitled, to receive
an ^{increase} in land said to be taken to widen Hanover
street and if he be so entitled to compensation
what the same shall be.

State House
yard

The Committee, on the subject of the
State House yard, reported that they had
laid application before the Legislature and
thereupon ordered that Alderman Benjamin
be added to said Committee to carry the
improvements into effect.

Deer Island

The committee appointed to clean Deer
Island, Reported, that they had attended in
pursuance to the duty assigned them, and that

it is their opinion, that it will be for
the interest of the City to grant an extension
of power to said Committee so far as to
permit them to leave said Island for any
length of time, not exceeding five years,
and recommend that the following order
be passed as an amendment to the
order passed on the 12th instant. Read &
accepted.

Sent down for concurrence
Came up concurred

Engine Promi-
sues

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Child and Bryannin be a Committee on
the subject of Premiums of Engines for water
at fire the last year, and report

House of
Commons

The proceedings of the Board of
Accounts in relation to the House of
Commons read & committed to the
Mayor & Aldermen Cooper to consider
reports.

Middlest St.
Temple Street
deans

Return of the apartments in the
Estates in Middlest St. & Temple Street, on
account of the Common sewer land, & made
in Middlest, Chancery, & Auction & Sales

shut - Read and the agreement made
accordingly ordered to be recorded.

Luttrell Ordered, that the Mayor be re-
quested to write to Wm Luttrell concerning
ballast taken by him from Deer Island.

Term of Court Ordered, that the subject of the Term
that will spring be referred to Aldermen
Edborne & Benjamin.

Rayveigh's account be referred
to Aldermen Edborne & Baxter.

Ordered, that Gridley Mearns bill
for his services, vizt. with & work around the
estate of Thomas Perkins be allowed amounting
to \$574. 88.

Licenses as Vintallies granted to
John J. Swan - and Benjamin Tainter.

Jan 7 20
Robert Blake
for City Seal.
\$1.

Adjourned to Thursday next to be held
at the
J. M. O'Leary, Esq. Clerk

Thursday, January 22^d 1824.

Met according to adjournment.
Present - The whole board, except Aldermen
Odiorne, Child & Hooper.

Engine
No 11

Rules & Regulations of Engine No 11
approved.

Engine
No 1st

Rules & Regulations of Engine No 1st
approved.

Kiss

Application of Henry Kiss to have a
lamp lighted at No 9 Mulberry street
read & committed to Aldermen Schild &
Dorr to consider & report.

Porter Mill
Corporation

Application of the Proprietors of the
Porter Mill Corporation for granting them
the passage of the water through the water
Mills may be opened. Read & committed
to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson to consider
and report.

Engine
No 13

Communication of the firewards
relative to furnishing a blow for Engine
No 13. Read and committed to
Aldermen Eddy, Patterson & Benjamin to
consider & report.

Gasol.

Ordered, That the committee on the subject of the Gas, be instructed to take into consideration the subject of the City Court, and what is necessary to be done to keep out the cold by providing double doors or otherwise.

Barber

Prince St

Petition of Nehzibah Barber, to have the apartment in her house making to John Street drain read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson, to consider & report.

Handicrafts
Shops

Ordered, That the Mayor be a committee to take into consideration the subject of handicrafts shops being kept open on Sundays.

Newhall

Palatine

The committee to whom the petition of John Newhall & others, Watchmen, for an additional compensation, made a report, that it is not expedient to grant any additional compensation. Read & accepted.

Court House

Ordered, That Aldermen Benjamin & Eddy be also committed to consider of the cost mode of securing the Court House against fire.

Printers

The Committee to whom the Printer's
bills were referred, for printing for the City
Reported, that said bills for printing are much
higher charged than can be afforded, & the
Committee recommends, that they be settled
paid, agreeable to the schedule exhibited
that is to say deducting twenty five per
cent from each of said bills And the
Committee further recommends, that a
Committee be appointed to make contracts
with a sufficient number of printers, for &
during the present season until the 30th of
April next, to do all the printing and
advertising that may be wanted on the
best terms possible. Read & accepted, and
thereupon Ordered, that the same Committee
be authorized to contract with for the
printing accordingly.

Engine
No 17.

Rules & Regulations of Engine No 17.
approved.

Adjourned to Monday next 6
o'clock P.M. Attest
C. M. Henry City Clerk.

Monday January 26th 1824.

Met according to adjourn.

Present. The whole board except Alderman
Odiorne.

Hopewalks
The committee on the subject of the
Hopewalks, made a report as on file.
Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Vaccinating
The Mayor's message on the subject
of vaccinating Read & committed to
Aldermen Dove, Benjamin & Eddy, with such
as the Common Council may join, to consider &
report. Sent down for concurrence. Came up
concurrred; and the Common Council joined in
its part Messrs. Dexter, E. Williams, Stevens,
Thraugor.

Haven
The committee on the Certificate of the
appos, that fourteen dollars sixty cents, should
be allowed to Joseph Haven, in consequence of an
error in a former tax, reported, that that sum
be paid to the order of Mr. Haven by the
next Treasurer, after deducting all taxes due
from said Haven. Read & accepted.

Branch
banks

Memorial of the Directors of the
Branch Bank of the United States stating that
they are about building a Bankers House
on State Street & Wilson's Lane. Praying that
no part of their land may be taken to
widen said Lane. Read & committed to
Aldermen Schild, Dorr, Odium & Benjamin.
to consider and report.

Worsley

Petition of John S. Worsley and
Alexander Townsend to have a lamp lighted
No. 3 State Street. Read & committed to
Aldermen Schild & Dorr to consider & report.

M^r. Croder
Orange St.

Ordered, That Aldermen Baxter &
Schild be a committee to consider & report
what compensation M^r. Croder is entitled
for land taken to widen Orange Street.

Health Com^{rs}

Memorial of the Health Com^{rs}
concerning the removal of House
Dirt Road. & committed to the Mayor,
Aldermen Schild, Dorr & Patterson to consider
(and report).

Rice
Marlboro' St.

The Committee on the application
of Henry Rice to have a lamp lighted on
Marlborough, requested, that it is inexpedient
to light the same. Read & accepted

Hayward,
Range & Co.
St.

The Committee, on the subject of
Dr. Hayward's land in Chicago, & that street,
reported that two hundred & seventy three
dollars & fifty five cents, he paid in full
satisfaction of the land taken from him on
said street to widen the same.

Read & accepted.

Larkin

John Larkin Esq's application to
be licensed as a victualler near prepared
to the Mayor, to consider & report.

Female Soc.
Refuge

The Committee, on the ~~report~~ memorial
of the ^{Division of the Penitents} Female Refuge Society, for relief
Report, that the prayer of the petition
ought not to be granted, for reasons given
in the reports of the Committee, and that
the petitioners have leave to withdraw
their petition. Read & accepted.

(cut down for concurrences.)

(am not concerned)

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
Mr. Attorney,

C. M. Cleary, City Clerk.

Thursday January 29th 1824.

Met according to adjournment

Present: ~~The whole board~~

Aldermen Belknap, Baator, Odiorne
and Patterson.

There not being a sufficient
number present to form a quorum
the meeting was adjourned to Monday
next at 12 o'clock P.M.

Attest

L. M. Cleary, City Clerk

Monday February 2^d 1824.

Met according to adjournment.

Present The whole board.

Judge Packer Letter from the Hon. Isaac Parker, Chief Justice
Letter of the Supreme Judicial Court, stating that John
Parker who lives in sea street N^o 7, who was
returned to serve on the Jury of said Court
has been convicted of a felony whereupon
Orders that his name be taken from the
jury box, and subject of conviction com^d
to Alderman Rogers to consider Report.

Shaw Application of Robert L. Shaw, John P.
Cleveland Lane Thorndike and David Greenough, that Cleveland
Lane be discontinued and that a new street
be opened, and located, that widened near
Woodbine Square. Near committed to
Aldermen Child, Dorr & Benjamin, to
consider Report.

Francis J. Application of George Francis but letters
Merminac st. to have a plank side walk laid from
Merminac street to Green Dragon Lane.
Near committed to Aldermen Paddy and
Patterson, to consider Report.

Perkins &
Callender—
Oliver St.

The Committee to whom was referred the
Petitions of Thomas Perkins and John Callender
inquires, "made a report as on file
in the Common Council. Ordered, that the
Report of the joint Committee on the file
of Thomas Perkins, together with a petition
from John Callender to the Mayor and
Aldermen on the same subject, be recom-
mended to the joint Committee, to consider
and report. Came up for concurrence
and report.

Read & concurred.

Callender

Petition of John Callender upon
the same subject read & committed to
the same Committee to consider & report.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up for concurrence

Columbian Ar-
tillery Co.
Ward House
No. 3.

So much of
Ordered, that the Ward room house
in Ward No. 3, as is necessary for a Gun
room and apartments be leased to the
Columbian Artillery Company, for the term of
twenty five years agreeable to an ordinance of the
City Council passed on the 20th day of September
last, & that the Mayor be authorized to
execute the lease accordingly.

Engine 2nd 14.

Rules & Regulations of Virginia, No. 14, approved

Hawes

Committee

The Committee on the Petition of Joseph
Hawes and Sarah Shattuck, relative to the
Census Law in Lowell, made a report
which was read & recommended, and the Mayor
and Alderman Hooper are joined to our
Committee.

Hart & Fuller

Ordered, That Hart & Fuller account
be committed to the Mayor & Alderman Hooper
to require payment of all bills against the
abandon of side walks where notice has
been given.

Branch Bank

record

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The Committee to whom was referred
the memorial of the Directors of the Branch
Bank reported as in file.

Read & accepted.

John A. Rixbury

Will. Capron

By an Act of the Common Council, approved
July 18th, 1854, the following is enacted, with such
as the Board of Aldermen might join, a Committee
to attend to the subject of an order of notice from
the Hon. Legislature of this Commonwealth on the
abolition of the restrictions of the Boston Harbor
Wharf Corporation for leave to erect buildings on the
East East of the River, ways, with power to

attend to the interest of the City in this
 behalf - Came up for concurrence
 Read & concurred, and the Mayor is joined.

Marston

Cord Wood

Petition of William Marston, &
 others relative to measuring Cord Wood,
 Read & committed to Alderman Child,
 Benjamin Hady, with such as the
 Common Council may join to consider
 Report. Sent down for concurrence.
 Came up concurred, & the Common Council
 joined on its part Messrs Wales, Willott, Harko
 and J. S. Perkins.

Bulfinch

Ward St.

Ceremiah Bulfinch having paid for
 the privilege of entering sundry teams into
 the Common sewer from his estate in S.
 Street and Back Street, as approped by the
 Mayor & Aldermen. It is ordered, that the
 same be apportioned as follows, and that
 S. Bulfinch be authorized to collect the
 same

Wm Ceremiah Bulfinch	2 Ent. 810	\$ 37.3
Elizabeth Bartlett	1 Dr.	15.6
Mohitall Round	1 Dr.	14.90
Asa Adams	1 Dr.	14.90
David Oliver	1 Dr.	17.00
Thomas Barnes	1 Dr.	17.00
Hillman Lott	1 Dr.	21.90
		\$ 138.80

State
Prison.

Ordered, That the Mayor be requested, to write to the Superintendent of the State Prison, requesting that a weekly return of the names of the convicts of said Prison ~~may~~ who shall be ^{in time to be} discharged, be made to him.

Middle St.
Clock

Ordered, That Aldermen Eddy and Patterson be a committee, to examine the clock lately erected on the steps of the second building in Middle street, and report if the same has been done agreeable to the order of the City Council the last year.

School House
Ward No. 6.
Well

Ordered, That the Committee appointed to superintend the erection of a new School House in Ward No. 6, be authorized to cause a well to be dug, and to ascertain what the adjoining proprietors will pay towards the expense of the same.

Leicester St.
drain

Ordered, That the Mayor be requested to write to Samuel Phillips, and relative to the drain in Leicester street, and request him together with Joseph Hawes, 'Lot Pool', to attend at the Aldermen room on Thursday evening next, when can why the former vote should not be recorded.

Brattle St.
Church

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Rogers, be a committee to attend before the
refugee on the subject of the Brattle Street
Church.

Bradlam &
aut. by
Rd of docks

Communication of the board of
Accounts enclosing an account of Stephen
Bradlam Martin of the House of Correction -
Near Committee to Aldermen, ^{Child} ~~William~~ &
Eddy, to consider & report.

Welch
Elm & Hanover
St.

Ordered, That the Committee on the
subject of land sold to be taken from the estate
now owned by Thomas Welch, Esq. be authorized
to call in the aid of any Surveyors, as to the
correctness of the plan at the corner of Elm &
Hanover Streets.

Elm St.

Ordered, That the Committee again
be authorized to consider and run the line on
the north side of Elm Street about to be built
upon by Leonardus Coolidge.

to warrants

Warrant ^{drawn} on the ~~County~~ ^{City} Treasurer for the
amount of the County draft being \$1038.15.
Warrant drawn on the City Treasurer for
the amount of draft for last month being
\$11,026.73. -

Quinn

Charles L. Quinn, Elias Williams &
Robert Clark, for applications for a retail
license - granted

Moses Haskell, and Jacob C. Cate
applications for retail license not granted.

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Ordered, That Aldermen Child, Dorr
and Patterson, be a committee to consider
and report upon what terms the
of Thomas Page for the exhibition of a
menagerie of animals shall be renewed

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
P.M. Attest
J. P. McElroy, City Clerk.

Thursday February 5th 1824.

Met according to adjourn.

Present - The whole board.

Engines

The committee on the subject of the
premiums to the several engines reported that
in the case of the old companies who assigned
the premiums were belonged, to the individuals
who belonged to the company at the time it was
sunk, & that the Mayor be authorized to
pay the amount to any person who may
be authorized to receive the same by an
order signed by all those individuals.
Read & accepted.

Green Dragon

Green Dragon

Ordered that Aldermen Pitty and
Hooker, with such as the Common Council
may join, be a committee to take into
consideration the subject of the lease of a
piece of land near the Green Dragon to
Thomas Gould. Sent down for concurrence
came up concurred, & the Common Council
joined on its part Messrs E. Williams, Dexter
Hentis.

Rogers

Petition of Silas B. Rogers to have a
stand over the West Dock opposite Virgin Hall
No 10. Read and committed, to Aldermen
Eddy & Patterson, to consider & report.

Thayer

Petition of Stephen Thayer Lathrop, con-
cerning the measuring wood, read & committed
to the Committee who have under consideration
the petition of William Marston, Lathrop, upon
the same subject, to consider & report.

Sent down for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Page
animals
can open
282.

The committee upon the petition of
Linus Page to ^{cancel} his license to exhibit
animals in Hanover street. Reported, that the
sum of twenty five dollars for the month of
February be applied on said Page's said
license. Read & accepted.

Vaccination

The committee to whom was referred the
proceedings of the General & Local vaccination com-
mittees, made a report as on file together with
the following. Resolved that the School Com-
mittee be requested to enquire into the expediency
of prohibiting hereafter the admission of any
children.

Scholars into the public Schools who have not either been vaccinated or had the small pox and to take such order on the subject as in their opinion the emergency the case may require. Read & Committee sent down for concurrence. Came up concurred with an amendment. Read & concurred with amendments. Sent down for concurrence.

Larkin,

John Larkin's petition to remove his shop to Ann Street. Read & committed to Aldermen Eddy & Patterson to consider & report.

Hansard,

Chas. Hansard

Chas. Hansard, Clerk of the Market account. Read & committed to Aldermen Fox & Patterson to consider & report.

Mart

Castle Street

Ephraim Marsh's petition to have Castle Street widened. Read & committed to Aldermen Mayler & Mosper to consider & report.

Radlam

Stephen Radlam's account as master of the House of Correction. Recommended to Aldermen Child & Eddy to consider & report.

Lowleap

Where the representation of the owners of the poor. The board considered the case of John Lowleap, and found him to be a

Spencer, who by idleness & contemporaries so
wrote, & opens his 'State' as liberty to expose
himself. His family is now suffering circum-
stances. Whereupon the Mayor Aldermen signed and
certified the circumstances to the Judge of
Probate and prayed that a guardian might
be appointed according to law.

From annual
visitation
of the
Schools
Ordered, That Alderman Eddy &
Alderman [unclear] be appointed to provide a dinner
on the ~~last~~ ^{third} Wednesday in February next, for
the annual visitation of the public schools,
and that the members of the Common Council
the School Committee and the members of the
Board of Aldermen School Committee of the
said Waverly be ~~present~~ as it may be
directed.

Worshipful
&
Honorable
The committee upon the petition of
John S. Worsley, Waverly Town, for to have
a lamp lighted at 60 B State Street, reported,
that it is inexpedient to grant the same.
Read & accepted

Recuses
John Robinson, Daniel Ladd, and
William B. Quincy Junior, licensed as Notaries.

Welsh
Harvard Univ.
Shed

The Committee appointed to ascertain
the use, and value, compensation is due to
Thomas Welch, and how far land said to
be taken to widen Hanover & Elm streets,
Worcester, is on file. Yours &c. &c.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
Jm. C. Kelly
J. M. Kelly, Esq. & Co.

Monday February 9th 1874.

Met according to adjournment
Present The whole board.

Perkins
The committee to whom was referred the
petition of Thomas Perkins, for compensation for
damages sustained by him, in consequence of the
surveyors of highways digging down Clive & Belknap
streets whereby the walls & fences of his estate
were exposed and injured, made a report as
on file. Read & accepted in the Board of
Aldermen.

Came up for concurrence.

Read & concurred.

Callender
The committee on the petition of
the Callender, for compensation for damages
sustained by him, in consequence of the surveyors
of highways digging down Clive & Walnut streets
whereby the walls of his House & farms were
said to be injured, made a report as on
file. Read & accepted in the Comm
Council.

Came up for concurrence

Read & concurred.

Grand Jury
Communication from the Grand Jury
of the County of Suffolk, relative to the state of
the Gaol. Read & filed.

Grant &
Coolidge

Communication from Moses Grant &
Cornelius Coolidge, relative to depredations
committed on their stores in Union street
Road. Ordered to lie.

Hayward
Clerk of Market

The Committee on the accounts of the
Hayward Clerk of the Market, made a
report, for the month of January, that the
found their right and found correct. The
whole amount of receipts is \$809.62, the
balance \$681.54, he has paid into the
Treasury.

Harts & Tuttle

Messrs Harts & Tuttle accounts
committed to the Mayor, Aldermen
Child & Patterson, to consider & report.

Welles

Petition of John Welles, & others, for
a survey of the land & harbours between Ann
& Fish streets and the Cove. Read & com-
mitted to the Mayor who is authorized
to cause the survey to be taken.

Rogers

The Committee on the Petition of
Silas B Rogers, for a stand on the
Mill bridge, reported, that it is in
expedient to grant the same.

Read & accepted.

Wilkinson

Order sheet to a new street from Charles Street to Lynn
Lane St.

Petition of Simon Wilkinson & others for
sheet, read and committed to Aldermen (Hale,
Boor, Eddy and Patterson) to consider & report.

Spenger

Petition of Daniel McSpenger & others,
relation to measuring work. Read & committed
to the Committee to the Committee who have
under consideration the petition of William
Marston & others upon the same subject to
consider & report. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

numbering
buildings

The Committee, upon the subject of
numbering buildings reported "An Ordinance
authorizing the numbering of buildings within
the City of Portland" which being read paper
to be enrolled. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred, with amendments.

Read & now concurred

Padlam's
auth

Ordered, that Alderman Hooper be
added to the Committee on the request of
Stephen Padlam Master of the House of Commons.

Licenses

Gain Robinson and John Larkin
were licensed as Victuallers.

Meek lands

The committee upon the Meek lands
exhibited a statement of the receipts and
expenditures the last year. Read & passed.

Northampton St.

Resolved authorizing the Committee
the Meek lands to exchange a small piece
land situated on the south side of North
ampton street containing about 1500 feet.
the Roxbury Canal Proprietors, for a piece of
land of equal extent foot for foot belonging
to Proprietors lying on the south side of
street. Read & passed.

Put down for concurrence.

Carried up concurred.

(Adjourned to Thursday next 6th May)

Attest
J. H. Cleary, Secy. Clk.

Thursday February 12th 1824.

Met according to adjournment.

Present. The whole board.

The board having received information of the death of Joseph Willet, Esq. a member of the Common Council.

Resolved, That the members of this board will attend his funeral on Saturday next, at 3 o'clock, and that the Mayor be requested to notify the members of the Common Council thereof, & request their attendance by publishing their proceedings.

Kupper
desire paint
Shut st.

Petition of Charles T. Kupper, Esq., to have an engine located between Wheeler's point and Abbot's sheds. Read & committed to Aldermen Bayley, Child and Cooper, to consider and report.

Fatch
th or Sea st.

Petition of Jacob Hatch, Esq., to have an engine located in South or Sea sheds, read & committed to the councillors last named, to consider & report.

Shon
it fine plan

The objection of William Debon Esq. to the improvement on Bulfinch place for Middlesex street.

about chain referred to the Mayor, Ald.
Odiorne and Benjamin, to consider Jackson

Faneuil Hall

The Committee appointed to enquire
into the state of Faneuil Hall, who on
the several rooms in the same Reported
that they have given the charge of Faneuil
Hall, & the buildings to Caleb Hayward
Clerk of the Market. Read & accepted.

Ingalls

Russell

Faneuil Hall

The several petitions of William
Ingalls, others, and Benjamin Russell, &
for the use of Faneuil Hall, on the even-
preceding the first Monday of April were
for the purpose of holding a Caucus or
meeting for political purposes annually read
(committed) to Aldermen Baxter, Odiorne
and Child to consider and report.

Hamilton

Petition of James Hamilton, relative
to Horse dirt, Read & committed to the
Mayor, Aldermen Child, Bore, & Patterson
to consider & report.

Trees on Mass
Avenue

Ordered, that the committee on the
Mass Avenue be authorized to cut down in
Lombardy Poplar trees as they may deem proper.

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up in

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Odiorne, & Patterson be a committee, upon the
subject of boys standing in the market, &
licensing Posters.

Smith
land, 11.

The committee to whom was referred
the memorial of Ebenezer Smith, respecting
building on the City's land on Portland Street
now on a lease to said Smith, requesting to
know whether any part of said land will
be wanted to widen the street - reported as
on file. Read & accepted.

Bradford

The committee on the petition of John
H. Bradford, Commander of the Washington R.
battery, for remuneration for repairs made on
the room in Transit Hall appropriated for
their armory. Reported that there be paid
to the Officers of said Company fifty dollars
& thirty cents, it being the same am-
ount paid in 1813, to the Main England guards.

James

Read & accepted.
Lycom Bruce, & Eben Smith, licensed as
subscribers.

Adjourned to Monday next 6 o'clock
P.M.

J. M. Clear, City Clerk.

Monday February 16th 1894.

Met according to adjournment.

Present — The whole board.

Peabody
Bells ringing
on Sundays

Petition of Augustus Peabody respecting
Bells ringing & tolling on Sundays & praying
that the same may be regulated. Read
committed to Aldermen Edmon & Bouman
to consider and report.

House of Cor-
rection

Communication from the board of ac-
respecting convicts in the House of Correction.
Read & committed to Aldermen Child, Bu-
ddy and Hooper who are instructed to
a conference with the board of assembly.

Willard
Clarks

Petition of Aaron Willard and prayer
to have the care of the clocks in the Re-
M^r. Wares meeting house in Middle street,
the Rev. Dr. Fowler's meeting house in -
street. Read & the prayer thank given

State Prison
Convicts

Upon the subject of convicts dis-
from the State Prison. The Mayor reports
that he has "addressed a letter" to James
Austin, Esq. one of the Directors of the St.

Mason and that he has received from
him an answer which he has with
submits.

Perkins L
Allender

The Committee to whom was
recommended the petition of Thomas Perkins
& John Allender, 114th reported in part as
imple. Read & accepted in the common
Council. Came up for concurrence
Read & concurred.

Takesbury
Callard

The Mayor reports that he has
seen Wm Takesbury on the subject of ballast
taken from Deer Island who denies any
knowledge or agency in the carrying away
any ballast.

Butcher
Council Hall

Ordered that the Mayor be requested
to consider the subject of Butcher standing
near Council Hall and selling their provisions.

Edg Thacker

Judge Thacker's communication con-
cerning a person indicted at the Municipal Court
for maliciously breaking lamps on the Dam
belonging to the Boston Springfield Mill Corp.
Read & committed to Alderman Cooper to
consider & report.

Hedge Parker's
Letter

The Committee on Judge Parker, letter
concerning a juror made a report, that
John Peirce mentioned therein had not a
name in the ^{juror} box, was not drawn as a
juror & that he was summoned by mistake
of the Constables. I recommend that the
Constables be directed to make strict enquiry
in all future cases as to whom they
summon. I did to summon any one, except
he resides in the proper ward where he
resides. Read & accepted.

North Square.

The Committee to whom was referred
the representation & sundry petitions of the
North square, respecting the amount of the
assessment, for the cost of the Common sewer
in Fish street made a report as on file.
Read & accepted.

Middlecot st
Dorne & Temple
streets

Ordered, That the annual duties
drawn in Middlecot street, Dorne street & Temple
street shall be eight dollars for each entry.
The sum of three hundred & eighty dollars shall
be assessed upon each estate according to its val-
uation.

Sum

22 Grand Jurors & 35 traverses for
drawn for the Sup. Jud Court.

Bulfinch
blu

Ordered, That the following estates in
Bulfinch place which are assessed as having
direct outlets into the sewer in Middlebrook street
and it being ascertained that the drains from
their cellars lead into Bulfinch street, shall
be reduced to fifty dollars each.

Hastings
~~James~~
Dr

Joseph S. Hastings licensed as an
auctioneer in Broad street, and his bondsmen
approved.

Engine No 10

Rules & orders regulations of Engine No 10
approved.

White

The Committee upon the application of
Stephen White, for a victualler's license at
corner of State & Broad streets reported
that it is inexpedient to grant the
same.
Res. Rescinded.

Darling

Carlos L. Darling, licensed as a
Retailer.

6. 19. 1826
vs. P. Brown
\$1 City Seal
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Adjourned to Thursday next 6
o'clock P.M. Attest
C. M. McLean, City Clerk.

Thursday February 19th 1824.

Met according to adjournment.
Present The whole board.

Willard,
Clocks

Petition of Aaron Willard junr to be
employed as keeper & regulator of the City
Clocks. Read & committed to Aldermen
Baxter, Odiorne, & Pennington, who are in-
trusted to report the most suitable person
for that purpose.

Shaw,
Court street

The Committee to whom was referred
the memorial of Robert G. Shaw & others to
have Court Street widened. Reported as
file. Read & accepted and
Ordered accordingly.

Leverett
Common sewer
French & Wade

Return of expense of ^{making} ~~repairing~~ the
drain or common sewer in Leverett St
and the names of the proprietors - Also to
settle forth that Benjamin French & Joseph
Wade had entered their drains into the
same & praying that they may be apportioned
upon them. Ordered that the pet^r note

mitted to ascertain what deduction ought
be made, and what persons ought to be
presented).

Paving

Ordered, That Aldermen Baxter, L.
Dorr and Eddy be appointed to consider
expediency of the City's purchasing materials
paving the ensuing season.

Discocks

Wiltshire St.

Petition of Sewall. Discock & Allen,
have a lamp place lighted in an Alley
near Wiltshire street. Read & committed
to Aldermen Edinore & Benjamin to consider
and report.

Adams

Engine No. 16

Petition of Daniel Adams master
Engine No. 16 for a sign to be placed over
said Engine House. Read & committed to
Aldermen Child and Dorr to consider &
report.

Boston Light

Inf. Co

Petition of the Officers of the
Boston Light Infantry Company to have
ceiling of their Arms raised. Read and
committed to Aldermen Child & Dorr to
consider & report.

Times

Joseph W. Homer, Junr, Joshua
Nyman, Junr. were licensed as Victuallers.

Nyman's

Common
Council

Theodore Nyman's account of expense
of Common Council in Shadow Street read &
Committed to the Mayor, to consider &
Report.

Common

Elisha Copeland Junr. licensed as a
Retailer, No 65 Broad Street.

Peabody

The committee on the petition of August
Peabody, relation to ringing & tolling of bells
made a report as in file. Read & accepted.

Adjourned to Monday, next 6 o'clock
P.M.

Attest
S. H. Cleary, City Clerk.

Monday February 23rd 1824.

Met according to adjourn.

Present. The whole Board.

Boston and
Roxbury Mill
Corps.

The committee on the memorial of
Francis C. Gray, Esq. President in behalf of
Boston & Roxbury Mill Corporation made a
report as on file. Read & accepted, & ordered
that the Committee be instructed to report a statement of
the same for concurrence.

Came up concurred.

Salt & grain
measurement of

Ordered, That the act of the Legislature
entitled "An act for preventing fraud
the measurement of salt and grain" passed
20th of February, instant be and hereby is a
clared to have effect & operation within the
City of Boston from and after the first day
April next; and that publication of this
declaration be made forthwith in conformity
with the provisions of the said act.

Sent down for concurrence

Came up concurred.

Wood-measure
ment.

The committee to whom was referred
the several petitions of William Munton

Mrs. Darrick Mepenger & Mrs. Stephen Thayer
and Mrs. concerning the advertisement of
Wood made a report as on file.

Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred.

Mayor's report
The Mayor's message upon the
subject of adopting a more systematic account-
ability for public monies, and more efficient
checks on the expenditures of the City than
those which exist at present. Is as on file.
Read & committed to the Mayor, Aldermen
O'Brien and Child, with such as the
Common Council may join to consider and
report. Sent down for concurrence.
Came up concurred, & the Common Council joins
in its favor Messrs. Wales, Alder, Estlin, & Prudden,
are joined.

Eaton &
Barnes The Petition of Ezra Eaton, for the
use of Ward room No 3, in the matter of
holding a banquet on Thursday evening next.
Also the Petition of Thomas Barnes for the
use of Ward room No 2, for the same purpose.
Read & committed to Aldermen Eddy and
Patterson, with authority to do in relation to the
premises what they may think expedient.

M. J. Bank

Plan of Land on State Street, and
Wilson's Lane belonging to the United States
Bank, committed to Aldermen Leitch
and Benjamin.

Hart & Tuttle,
acts

The Committee on Hart & Tuttle,
bill reported as on the Road Tax.

Milk Street

Ordered, That the Mayor, Aldermen
Paxton and Odiorne, be also committed to
consider the subject of widening Milk Street.

Lovden
Orange St.

Ordered, That the same price be paid
to Mrs. Lovden, for land taken to widen
Orange Street as was granted to Dr. Geo.
Hayward.

Wasco
"Hill"

Petition of William Wasco, relative
to the plan of the "Hill" so-
called, Road committed to Aldermen
Odiorne & Benjamin, to consider & report.

City Marshal

Ordered, That Aldermen Odiorne, Leitch
& Hooper be also committed, to consider & report
the salary that ought to be paid to the
City Marshal.

Agmon.

Am. Stat.

Phillips

Hayweigher

Boston Light

Infantry Co.

Nov. 20

Petition of Stephen Higginson, for
compensation for the injury said to be done
to his estate on Oliver Street, in consequence
of burning same street. Read & committed
to Aldermen Schild and Dorr with such
as the Common Council may join to con-
sider and report. Sent down for consider-
ation. Came up concurred. & the Common
Council joined on by parts Messrs. E. Williams,
Sibley & Wilkinson.

Mr. Comr on the accounts of Samuel
Phillips Hayweigher reported, that they had
examined the account and books of said Phillips
and found them correctly cast, and find a
balance due the City of \$126. 34. Read &
accepted, and thereupon ordered that he
pay the balance he paid into the City Treasury.

The Committee to whom same was
referred the Petition of Isaac Davis, Captain the
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Sabine,

Petition of the Rev. James Sabine, of
alicious to deliver a course of Lectures upon
Natural Philosophy with experiments. Read.
The prayer thereof granted.

Warton

Petition of Theodore Warton for a
License as an Auctioneer Merchants Row.
Read and the prayer thereof not granted.

Licenses

John New licensed as a Victualler,
and Stephen White licensed as a Victualler

George Dana licensed as a ^{Victualler} ~~retailer~~
No 8 Long Wharf, he having removed from
No 2 India Street.

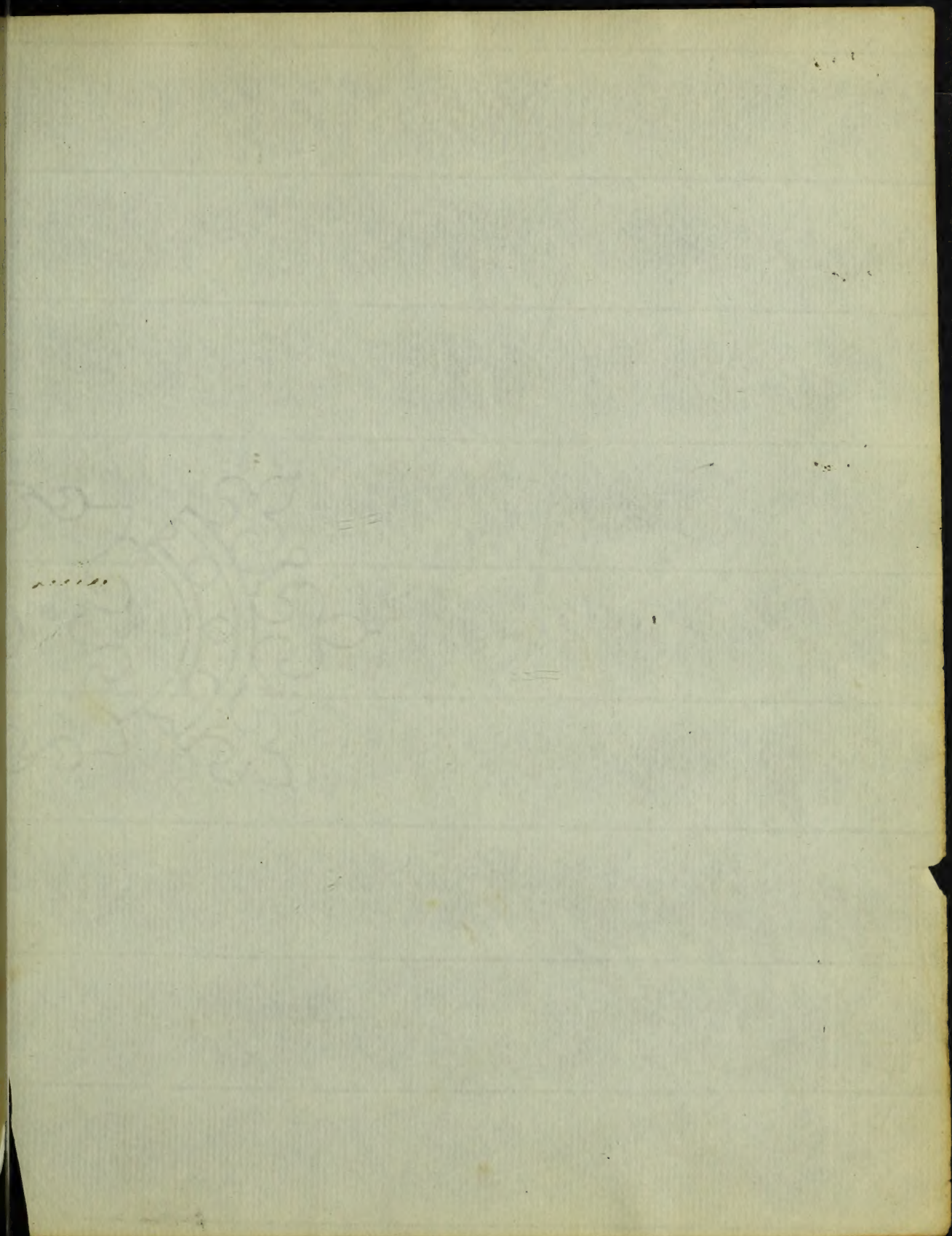
Whitaker

Auctioneer

Petition of Nathaniel Whitaker to be
licensed as an Auctioneer No 13 Mow
street, committed to Aldermen Child & Dow
to consider & report.

Adjourned to Thursday next 6 o'clock
P.M. Attest.

J. M. Crary. City Clerk



Journal of the first voyage
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